

## THE FAIR.

### CHOICE PICKINGS OF WINTER HOSIERY.

Infants' all wool hose, 10c kind, at 5c a pair.  
Infants' all wool seamless hose, 20c kind, 10c.  
Children's wool seamless ribbed hose, 25c kind, 15c.  
Children's worsted seamless ribbed hose, 35c kind, 25c.  
Ladies' fine cashmere hose, 35c kind, 25c.  
Ladies' extra heavy and fine fleeced lined seamless hose 25c.  
Gents' wool seamless ribbed hose, 25c kind, 15c.  
Gents' extra heavy seamless ribbed hose cheap at 25c.  
Gents' fine quality seamless wool hose 15c.  
Gents' extra fine seamless wool hose, 35c kind, 25c.

### Wool Mittens. All Perfect Goods. No Seconds.

Misses' sizes all wool mittens, 10c kind, 5 and 7c.  
Ladies' and children's sizes all wool mittens, 20c kind, 10c.  
Ladies' and children's sizes all wool double mittens, 25c kind, 15c.  
Ladies' extra fine cashmere mittens, 35c kind, 25c.  
Children's cotton flannel drawers, from 2 to 12 yrs., at 10 and 15c.

### WITH CHRISTMAS

only a few weeks from now, we wish to call your attention to the fact that our store is much too small for our holiday stock. We have had to rent a store house and are only able to sample the goods in the store. Our line is nearly complete, and we would advise those that like to buy before the best is gone to buy early and while they can have proper attention.

We have much the largest line of holiday goods ever shown in Middletown—In Books, Games, Dolls, Toys, Rodgers' Silver Plated Table Ware, Sterling Silver Novelties, Florentine Frames, Celluloid Goods, Fine China, Jardiniers, Bric-a-Brac, Glass Lamps etc.

We are not getting in and marking goods the last few weeks before Christmas, but **SELLING** them. Goods bought at that time are odds and ends that good buyers have passed by.

## The Syndicate Fair Store,

No. 8 EAST MAIN ST., MIDDLETOWN, N. Y.

Other Stores — Carbondale, Pa.; Pittston, Pa.; Hazleton, Pa.; Mahanoy City, Pa.; Shamokin, Pa.

## WE HAVE THEM!

We have had time and again call for colored body stiff bosom shirts, with 2 detached turn down collars and cuffs. They are the proper thing for a railroad man, mechanic or laborer, but they can not be bought with the detached collars to match. We went to work and had a manufacturer make us up a lot of

50 dozen Colored Body Stiff Bosom Shirts, With 2 Detached Turn Down Collars to Match. Shirts, Sizes From 12 1/2 to 18 Inch Neck Band.

These shirts are regular dollar shirts. Our Special Price 59c. Each. We show of these shirts 15 different patterns.

This is our Trade Mark

**Budwig & Co.**  
8 NORTH ST.  
MIDDLETOWN, N. Y.

Look for it when you buy Clothing  
d14,15,16

## AUCTION!

I WILL DISPOSE OF MY ENTIRE STOCK OF

### Diamonds, Watches, Silver Ware,

GOLD PENS, BICYCLES AND BICYCLE SUNDRIES.

Sale to Commence Nov. 15th, at 7:30 O'clock p. m.

and continue each night until all is sold. This will be a chance to purchase Christmas Presents at your own price. No old stock.

C. L. SWETZ, 28 James St., Casino Building.

## A FLYING SQUADRON

Big Fleet to Be Mobilized at Hampton Roads.

ALL NEW WORK ORDERED STOPPED.

Repairs to Be Rushed—Commander Philip to Command—Fleet Will Be Held Ready to Sail For Spain on Quick Orders.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 14.—Instructions have been given by Secretary Long to the officials of the navy yard at Brooklyn prohibiting them from commencing any new work on the armorclads in north Atlantic waters. Repairs on them completed, it is expected that within ten days Commander Philip will have under his command an effective force consisting of all the battleships and armored cruisers now in commission except the Iowa and Oregon, which are now at Rio Janeiro. These vessels will be kept along the Brazilian coast for another ten days at least, and by that time the authorities say that the policy of Spain with respect to the negotiations will have finally developed.

The armored cruisers New York and Brooklyn are in splendid condition. The battleship Massachusetts will have completed her repairs during the present week, and all construction work on the Indiana will also be completed within that time. So far as the Texas is concerned, naval officers say that a short time only will be necessary to repair her propeller sleeve.

Just as soon as all of the armorclads are ready they will proceed to Hampton Roads, where they will find the New York awaiting them. Here the vessels will remain pending such action as may be necessary as a result of information received from Paris.

### DEADLOCK AT PARIS.

A Rupture Is Likely to Occur at Any Moment.

PARIS, Nov. 14.—Among onlookers here the impression exists, though it is not the result of any official statement, that the Spanish peace commissioners will not consent to a treaty which the American commissioners could sign.

It seems almost possible also that in the pitiable pressure to which they are subjected between their large creditors, who are on the spot watching them, and the stern attitude of the United States, the Spaniards may abandon their struggles and leave the two forces to confront each other.

Under the rules of procedure adopted by the conference it is understood that the deliberations may not be unexpectedly concluded by either side.

The statement was printed here last evening that the last memorandum from the Americans is regarded by the Spaniards as a virtual ultimatum. But, as a matter of fact, the Americans have not presented an ultimatum, save as their treatment of the subjects in hand may be unanswerable. It is only since Wednesday last that the Spaniards have begun to feel that the Americans purpose talking over the Philippines and that, too, without any assumption of Spanish indebtedness. As they are now convinced of this, it may be that Spain's next presentation in conference will be the supreme rally of her diplomatic, argumentative and tactical forces. It may even mark the conclusion of all she has to say, but if the rules of procedure are followed the Americans would still have another presentation to submit.

Ever since Oct. 1 it has been within the range of possibility that at any meeting an open rupture might occur, and on one or two occasions it might have been easily a fact even before the taking up of the Philippine question.

The boundaries of the field in which that question is being worked out are becoming more apparent and the angle of final settlement cannot be far off. If a treaty is to result here, it may fairly be expected within three weeks, although it is not true, as reported from the United States yesterday, that the Americans have instructions embodying a time limit for the conclusion of the conference.

Judge Day has completely recovered. The Gaulois and other Paris papers announce a scheme for the control of the Philippines on these lines:

A syndicate representing \$400,000,000 capital proposes to take over the commercial resources and advantages of the Philippines for a term of 25 years, paying to the dominant power therein \$125,000,000 for the privilege.

Under the alleged terms of this scheme the dominant power would administer the political and military government of the islands at its own expense, under the appointment named, while the syndicate would collect all customs and other revenues for the term specified.

The scheme involves giving Spain \$175,000,000 to satisfy any real or imaginary claims she may make as to the territory. This feature is said to be based on the assumption that the United States will be the dominant power. The remaining \$100,000,000 of this reputed syndicate would be reserved as its working capital.

The sponsor of the project is a Mr. Young, said to be a son of Brigham Young, and an attempt is apparently made to create the impression that the capital of \$400,000,000 is already underwritten.

It is thought possible, however, if the alleged syndicate has an existence, that Americans will have an opportunity given them to join with it in holdings of large or small amounts. Whether it prove veritable or otherwise, friends of the United States here are asking if the announcement of the scheme is not intended to embarrass the Americans by an offer, real or apparent, of \$100,000,000 for a limited time for the use of what the Americans may desire to acquire in perpetuity for a sum relatively nil.

Non-official Americans in Paris put aside all unimpeachable the assumptions

that the United States would farm out its burdens or its advantages, if any, in the Philippines, which, if acquired, will be taken over as indemnity attending the discharge of high responsibilities. In any event, the American commissioners will doubtless first ask whether the announcement is timed to serve the ends of the syndicate or to hinder the efforts of Judge Day and his associates to effect an amicable adjustment of the Philippine question.

El Imparcial Predicts a Rupture. MADRID, Nov. 14.—El Imparcial says the government has forwarded instructions to Senor Montero Rios, president of the Spanish peace commission at Paris, this afternoon, and that Monday's conference may be the last of the last but one "unless the American commissioners moderate their claims." According to El Imparcial, a member of the cabinet has virtually declared as much.

The government has received a dispatch from General Rios, governor of the Visayas Islands, reporting the rebellion in the island of Negros and announcing the departure from Iloilo of the mail steamer Munoz with a number of invalided men whose repatriation has been authorized by the Americans.

The Madrid papers declare that the expected visit of Emperor William is a matter of political importance and that the German ambassador's visit to Berlin is in no way connected with it.

### GOMEZ'S INDEPENDENCE.

He Will Have No Americans in His Camp.

SANTIAGO, Cuba, Nov. 14.—Captain Warren, an American who has been with General Maximo Gomez for nearly two years, has arrived here. According to his statement General Gomez will no longer have Americans about him and is getting rid of them as fast as possible. He takes the same course in the case of Cubans suspected of favoring annexation to the United States. The result is that some of the best men who were long attached to his immediate staff are not now with him.

It will be difficult, Captain Warren believes, to get the majority of the insurgents to disband. His idea is that when the American authorities get control of the other portions of the island they should give out no rations and punish severely all thefts of cattle and produce.

He thinks, too, that there may be some trouble with the insurgents because of their insisting on the right to court martial delinquents among themselves.

There is very little serious sickness among the troops here. Everybody is improving with the cooler weather.

It is estimated that no fewer than 18,000 people in this section are learning English, in addition to the school children.

The greater part of Marina street is now macadamized. This improvement is to be extended throughout the entire city in place of the ancient cobblestones.

The United States revenue steamer Manning is now here with Captain Shoemaker, chief of the revenue cutter service, who came to investigate as to the need of a vessel for Collector Donaldson. Captain Shoemaker believes that Collector Donaldson's request should be complied with.

Owing to the heavy weather the Manning, instead of the converted yacht Hist, will be placed at the disposal of General Leonard Wood, commander of the military division of Santiago, for his trip from Guantanamo along the northern coast of the province. The Manning with General Wood will probably leave on Tuesday.

### Domestic Tragedy in California.

PLACERVILLE, Cal., Nov. 14.—Saturday evening, near Shingles Springs, this county, Jack Nickles shot and killed both his wife and his mother-in-law with a Winchester rifle. Afterward he removed his shoe from the right foot and with his toes discharged his rifle at his own breast, killing himself almost instantly.

### Li Hung Chang Rusticated.

PEKING, Nov. 14.—Li Hung Chang has been ordered to proceed to Tsinan, capital of the province of Shantung, to concert measures with the viceroy of Shantung to prevent future inundations of the Yellow river (Hoangho). This appointment is regarded as virtually shelving Prince Li.

### An Oregon City Destroyed.

BAKER CITY, Or., Nov. 14.—Fire which started in the Elkhorn hotel at Canyon City, Grant county, destroyed the entire business portion of the town and a number of residences. The loss will exceed \$100,000. In August, 1880, Canyon City was entirely destroyed by fire.

### Paolo In Iloilo.

MANILA, Nov. 14.—The following advices have been received from Iloilo, capital of Pannay, one of the four principal islands of the Visayas group:

"The insurgents have occupied Linganis, Otton and Pavia, suburbs of Iloilo, and are daily expected to attack the town. The Spaniards have abandoned the mole and destroyed the connecting bridges."

"Business is paralyzed, and the inhabitants are in a state of terror. The mercantile houses of all nationalities have signed a circular asking the commander of the United States cruiser Charleston to remain, as the Spanish authorities are incapable of affording them protection."

It is reported also that the insurgents have taken the whole of the islands of Negros and Zebu of the Visayas group. As the cable connections are cut it is impossible to confirm this rumor.

On Nov. 6 General Rios, Spanish governor of the Visayas, is said to have declared a seven days' armistice in order to communicate with Madrid, with a view of transferring control to the Americans.

Major Felt has gone to Iloilo to ascertain the facts of the situation.

## WILMINGTON'S RIOT.

Editor Manly's Story of His Escape.

HE IS NOW SAFE IN ASBURY PARK.

Wrote the Editorial Which Started the Trouble—Does Not Want to Go Back to the Southern States.

ASBURY PARK, N. J., Nov. 14.—A. L. Manly, editor of the Wilmington (N. C.) Record, whose office was destroyed by white citizens last Thursday, is now in Asbury Park with his brother-in-law, the Rev. I. N. Giles. He fled from Wilmington to escape probable lynching at the hands of the mob, which had sworn to have his life. It was through an editorial in The Record that the recent rioting in Wilmington and the attendant loss of life came about.

Manly said yesterday that, while he was perfectly willing to tell the story of his troubles as far as he himself was concerned, there were some features of the case which he could not make public at present, as the safety of others might be affected.

Manly said that the trouble all grew out of the fact that the much talked of editorial in The Record had been misquoted by the press of North Carolina, and only parts of it had been reprinted, with editorials tending to inflame the whites of the south. This, he said, had been done to try to scare the white voters who were likely to support the Populistic candidates back into the Democratic ranks. He did not seem to think that the editors of the papers which started the blaze of riot realized the harm which would follow the articles printed in their papers.

The editorial which appeared in The Record, Manly said, was called forth by a speech made by Mrs. Felton before the Agricultural society of Tybee Island, Ga., early in August. During her speech Mrs. Felton said that money which was collected for foreign missions could be spent to a better advantage at home in educating young white girls. She said that owing to the carelessness of poor white men of the south their girls are left very much to themselves and are easy victims of colored men. Then she spoke, according to Manly's statement, of the low moral standing of the colored race. He says she advocated lynching as the only means of eradicating these evils.

Manly's editorial in The Record was a reply to Mrs. Felton's speech. This editorial inflamed a large portion of North Carolina. Manly says he did not intend to attack any class or race, but simply wrote as he did to defend the defamed colored man. In this editorial Manly said:

"Poor white men are careless in the matter of protecting their women, especially on the farms. They are careless of their conduct toward them, and our experience among poor white people in the country teaches us that women of that class are not more particular in the matter of clandestine meetings with colored men than are the white men with colored women. Meetings of this kind go on for some time until the moment infatuation or the man's boldness brings attention to them and the man is lynched."

The very long editorial from which the above is taken was published on Aug. 18. Manly says that for nearly a week after it was printed nothing was said to him about it by the residents of Wilmington or vicinity, and his relations with them were of the usual friendly nature until the white press took up the matter nearly a week later. From that time until now they have attacked him and his paper in every conceivable way, until at last he was compelled to flee for his life.

When asked as to the present situation at Wilmington, Manly said that as he had been absent for several days he would rather not be quoted as expressing an opinion on that subject.

When asked if he intended to return to North Carolina, he replied that that was another question which he could not answer at present. There were facts connected with that part of the story which might affect others, and he thought it would be best not to say anything as to his future prospects.

Manly would not tell how much his losses were at the hands of the mob. All he would say was that he had lost everything he owned in the world. He had carried an insurance on his property, but he said that there was no clause in the policy which insured against the fury of a mob.

### Tramp Steamer From Philippines.

NEW YORK, Nov. 14.—The British tramp steamer Eddie has arrived from the Philippine Islands, having loaded a full cargo of sugar and hemp at Iloilo for New York. Captain Lund says that he brought coal to Manila from Hongkong for the British fleet and also mails for the American fleet. The Eddie was at Manila July 7, and after discharging her cargo of coal went to Iloilo to enter on her New York charter. At Iloilo everybody was in a ferment, expecting daily to be attacked by the Americans. It was generally understood that the town would surrender after firing a few shots. The Spanish authorities were still in charge and the British consul was acting for the United States.

### Meeting of Cuban Bondholders.

PARIS, Nov. 14.—At a general meeting of French holders of Cuban bonds held here yesterday a resolution was adopted to appeal to the "good faith of Spain and the spirit of equity of the United States" to settle the question of their rights as creditors "in conformity with the rules of justice and law."

### Postoffice Robbers.

MALONE, N. Y., Nov. 14.—The post office at Irian, N. Y., in the Adirondacks, was robbed Friday night and \$35 in postage stamps taken. There is no clew to the robbers.

### THE MARIA TERESA.

An Official Report From Commander Craven.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 14.—An official report to the navy department of the finding of the Maria Teresa was contained in the following cable dispatch received from Commander Craven of the wrecking tug Potomac, which had been ordered to Cat Island from Santiago:

"Potomac arrived, Maria Teresa near Bird Point, Cat Island, one mile off shore in two fathoms of water. Tide rising and falling inside. Temporary deck broken up, movable articles removed by natives. Vulcan not seen. Natives at work since Saturday."

The Potomac was ordered at once back to Cat Island with instructions to Commander Craven to take possession of the Teresa and drive off the wreckers who are looting the ship. He replied by cable that he would start immediately and would arrive at the wreck in the morning. The fact that the Teresa, a vessel drawing in trim 23 feet of water and waterlogged as she was when abandoned, probably drawing nearly 30 feet, should have been driven into 12 feet of water, is regarded by naval officials as evidence of the great strength of the storm which caused her crew to abandon her.

### SPANISH PRIZE IN PORT.

Bark Lorenzo Arrives at New York From Havana.

NEW YORK, Nov. 14.—The American barkentine Harry Merryday, which arrived yesterday from Havana, was formerly the Spanish bark Lorenzo. The Lorenzo was captured last May by the United States cruiser Wilmington while attempting to run the blockade with a cargo of jerked beef from Montevideo. The Lorenzo was condemned by the prize court and sold to W. S. Merryday of Palatka, Fla. Her owner changed the vessel's name to Harry Merryday and was granted an American registry. The barkentine was the second American vessel to enter Havana after the close of the war. Owing to the fact that the cargo was dutiable the vessel was delayed about two months at Havana discharging. All of the crew were in good health while stopping at Havana, although many were sick of yellow fever on other vessels in port and several deaths occurred among the shipping. All have been well since.

### CONDENSED DISPATCHES.

The pope has finished another long Latin poem, called a "Song of the Century."

The mining difficulties at Virden, Ill., have been settled. Work is to be resumed.

The command of the European squadron has been promised to Admiral Schey.

The emperor and empress of Germany have left Beirut, Syria, on the return journey to Germany.

The president and Attorney General Griggs have decided that there is no necessity for federal intervention in the South Carolina race troubles.

### Marchand Returns to Fashoda.

CAIRO, Nov. 14.—Major Marchand, commander of the French expedition at Fashoda, started yesterday for that point with Captain Baratrie, who carried Marchand's report to Paris and brought the reply of the French government. On their arrival at Fashoda the expedition will immediately retire by way of Sobat, southwest of Fashoda, at the junction of the Sobat river and the White Nile, from which point they will move overland to Jibuti, the French post in the Eesa district, on the west coast of the gulf of Aden.

### Unknown Man Found Dead.

MALONE, N. Y., Nov. 14.—The body of an unknown man was found in the woods near Santa Clara village a few days ago. The coroner has just completed his investigation, but has not been able to identify the man or establish the cause of his death. No clothing except the underwear was found near or on the body. Only one person has been found who had seen the man, who had engaged board at the person's house, but did not return. This is the third body found in this vicinity within the past six weeks.

### Boy Murderer and Saleide.

READING, Pa., Nov. 14.—Morris J. Lutz, aged 44 years, a shoemaker, was shot and fatally wounded today by his son Harvey, aged about 18. Young Lutz came home intoxicated, and his father reprimanded him. This angered the boy, and he fired two shots through his father's head. The latter ran into the street and fell over from the loss of blood. The boy then committed suicide by cutting his throat from ear to ear. He had the reputation of being a desperate young fellow.

### Railroad Collision.

BEVERLY, Mass., Nov. 14.—A passenger train on the Boston and Maine from Boston switched onto a siding just above the Beverly station early last evening and ran head on into another train which was waiting there. The forward wheels of both engines were derailed and their pilots and smoke boxes smashed, but no one was injured, and the track was cleared within two hours. The accident was due to a mistake of a man in the signal tower.

### Zola Not Coming to America.

KANSAS CITY, Nov. 14.—Edward Zola, a resident of this city and a cousin of Emile Zola, the champion of Dreyfus, says that the report that the French author is coming to this country shortly is untrue. Edward Zola, who is an exile from his country and who for four years past has been managing of the Kansas City club, has received a letter from his distinguished cousin, in which Emile Zola says emphatically that he has no intention of coming to the United States on a lecture tour, as had been stated, or for any other purpose, at least for a long time.



## WE HAVE JUST COMPLETED

another of our record breaking

# Carpet Sales!

and now turn our attention to bargains in every other line of goods in our large ware-rooms.

In order to make room for our holiday goods (which are arriving every few days), we will have to move a large amount of goods during the month of November, and we are going to ask all our friends, and those who wish to be, to help us move these goods.

As an inducement we will offer you unheard of bargains in Furniture, Carpets, Crockery and Silver Platedware.

Don't miss this chance. Step in and let us quote you some prices.

**C. EMMET CRAWFORD,**  
44-46 North Street.

## NEVER HAVE A HEADACHE!

Get a package of Nature's Headache Powders—Keep 'em in the house—have 'em handy.

Have you a severe "splitting" headache? Nature's Headache Powders are just the thing.

Have you a dull headache? Nature's Headache Powders will relieve it.

Have you a nervous headache? Nature's Headache Powders will cure it.

Have you a neuralgic headache? Try Nature's Headache Powders.

Have you a headache from a cold? See how quickly Nature's Headache Powders will give you ease.

Nature's Headache Powders have been so successful since we first brought them out, that we want to make them better known.

When traveling, take Nature's Headache Powders with you.

When late hours or severe brain work gives you headache, Nature's Headache Powders are what you need—We make them—They contain no morphine or other narcotic. Nature's Headache Powders are 10 cents a package—(4 doses).

For any kind of headache—always use Nature's Headache Powders.

McMonagle & Rogers, 30 North St. and 155 North St. (North Side Pharmacy.)

## SIDE BOARDS.

15 different patterns, all solid and some quartered oak. Will be placed on sale for this week only.

Prices from \$7.85 up and Strictly for cash.

Delivered free in city limits only. No freight charges prepaid on this Special Sale, nor can we hold for later delivery as the only object of this sale at such sacrificing prices is to make room for a large line of Holiday Goods.

SALE IS FOR THIS WEEK ONLY. THE GOODS ARE ALL NEW, BUT WE MUST HAVE ROOM.

The Cheapest House Furnishers.

**FRANCE & HATHAWAY,**

26 AND 27 EAST MAIN STREET

## NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

—Two girls wanted.  
—Jackets and for collection at Cannon & Tomsen.  
—Read Adams & Boyd's price on overcoats.  
—Stained brown shirts at Sadler & Co.'s.  
—Selling silver goods at J. K. Wiggins's.  
—Side boards at France & Hathaway's.  
—Good dairy butter at B. P. Tully's.  
—Set of harness stolen. Reward.  
—No 7,400 draws at Greenleaf's.  
—Health restored by Dr. H. H. Herring.  
—Celestine given with Fairy Soap.  
—Constipation cured by Cascarets.  
—For backache, Dr. H. H. Herring.

## LIVE LOCAL TOPICS.

—Remember that the third page of this paper contains good local matter, today.  
—"Zero" at the Casino, Friday evening.  
—Regular meeting of the Common Council, to-night.  
—Bass are taking live bait in the city reservoirs.  
—Work on Nyack's trolley road is expected to begin, this week.  
—Remember "Zero" at the Casino, Friday evening.  
—The 24th Separate Company Band will meet, to-night.  
—Remember the O. and W. band's dance, Wednesday night.  
—The O. and W. band will hold its first annual ball at the Assembly Rooms, Wednesday night.  
—The New York Telephone Company is spending \$50,000 in rebuilding its system in Nyack.  
—Thomas Carrigan, a Port Jervis merchant, won \$648 by betting on Roosevelt's election.  
—The Mission Circle, of Christ Church, will meet with Mrs. George LeFever, 15 Watkins avenue, to-morrow afternoon, at 3 o'clock.  
—The prices for "Zero" at the Casino, Friday evening, are the usual house prices. Secure your seats early.  
—Orange Encampment, No. 93, I. O. O. F., will work the Golden Rule Degree to-night and a full attendance is desired.  
—The clouds which overcast the sky, last night, interfered with the plans of a great many couples, who had planned to keep a lookout for meteors.  
—"Zero," it will be remembered, pleased our theatre-goers several seasons ago. It is said to be better than ever this season. It will be produced at the Casino, Friday evening.  
—Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, Nov. 16, 17 and 18, the harvest home fair and entertainments will be held at Bethel A. M. E. Church, South street.  
—Parker & Edgerton, who have 80,000 eggs in cold storage at Norwich, have begun to ship them to the New York market, the price there having reached a figure that affords a good margin for profit.  
—The printers' masquerade ball, which occurs at the Assembly Rooms, Thanksgiving eve, is certain to be one of the gayest affairs of the dancing season. Goshen, Chester, Ellenville and Port Jervis printers are expected. There were forty-two typos in the throng last year.

## PERSONAL.

—Louis Wolf continues to improve.  
—Miss Lillian J. Cox is at Tuxedo, today.  
—John Hoey, of New York, is visiting in town.  
—Mrs. H. S. Dusenberry is visiting in New York city.  
—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wright spent Sunday near Scranton.  
—J. A. Hoar spent Saturday and Sunday in New York.  
—Mrs. Hiram Tate, of Warwick, was in town, today.  
—William Hornbeck, of Port Jervis, was in town, Sunday.  
—Mr. and Mrs. Byron Morgan, of Binghamton, are visiting in this city.  
—Wm. Gibbons, of the Nashville, will return to Norfolk, to-morrow.  
—Irving Bull, of Yale College, spent Sunday with his parents in this city.  
—Miss Henrietta Dougherty, of New York, has been spending a few days in this city.  
—Ex-Corporal Powelson is still a very sick man, but his improvement seems permanent.  
—John Faulkner returned to Newburgh, to-day, after a few weeks' visit in this city.  
—Geo. Evans, a patrolman of the 6th New York Precinct, who was formerly in business in this city, is visiting friends in town.  
—E. D. C. Crans is confined to his home by a fever, which has all the symptoms of typhoid.  
—Rev. Ezra T. Sanford, of Port Jervis, and Rev. R. H. McCready, of Chester, exchanged pulpits, Sunday.  
—Mrs. H. Weller Fredericks and baby, of Ellenville, went to Port Jervis, today. Mr. Fredericks is visiting in this city.  
—The many friends of Samuel Lipfield will be glad to know that an improvement in his condition is noticeable, to-day.  
—Mrs. Alfred T. Bowler, of 9 Knapp avenue, who has been seriously sick for three weeks with fever, is slowly improving, and is now able to sit up a short time each day. She is a daughter of Capt. and Mrs. W. G. Luckey.  
—President Tierney, of the Common Council, who is in charge of the switch engine in the O. and W.'s north yard, has been suffering for several weeks with an abscess which formed on his right shoulder, after a bruise which he received in getting out of the cab door. He hopes to resume work, this week.

## For Delaney,

for city, and for improvement of the country, nothing equals HODD'S BARKER'S PILLS.

## OUR SOLDIERS COMING HOME.

The First Regiment Ordered Home—It is now to Leave Honolulu Because of Many Fever Cases.

Our soldier boys are coming home. This was the good news contained in the Sunday papers, which filled with joy the hearts of relatives and friends of the members of Company 1, and which caused profound thankfulness in many homes. The news of the ordering home of the regiment is contained in the following dispatch:

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 14.—It has been decided to recall the First regiment of New York volunteers from Honolulu, owing to the rapid spread of sickness among the troops. General Merriam received a telegram from Washington yesterday ordering that the New York troops be returned to San Francisco at once. From here they will be sent without delay to New York, after which the war department will decide on their disposition. The military authorities here are of the opinion that the survivors of the regiment will be mustered out.

The order from the war department followed a recommendation by General Merriam that the regiment be brought home, owing to the epidemic of typhoid fever in Camp McKinley and Ota, in Honolulu. The latest advice from Honolulu, dated Nov. 2, stated that the committee appointed by the health of Honolulu had found health conditions in horrible shape in Camp McKinley and Ota, but the camp of the engineers, almost adjoining, was in excellent shape. The engineers will be left to garrison Honolulu.

## STILL A TIE ON MAYOR.

Common Council Met as a Board of Canvassers—The Official Returns Opened—Results Taken Till Soldiers' Votes are Counted.

The Common Council met as a Board of Canvassers, this morning, as required by the city charter. Those present were President Tierney and Aldermen Owen, Walcott, O'Neal, Lawrence and Gavin. Clerk Taylor administered the canvassers' oath to President Tierney and he in turn administered it to the other aldermen and the clerk.  
The returns were opened and compared with the unofficial figures compiled by the city clerk and were found to be the same.—1,432 votes for Mr. Elwood and 1,432 for Mr. Pronk.  
The Council then took a recess until Dec. 15th, when the soldiers' election law requires the inspectors of election to meet and make returns of the vote cast by soldiers.

## THE OXFORD MUSICAL CLUB.

First Entertainment in the Y. M. C. A. Course, To-morrow Night.

The first of the Y. M. C. A. course of entertainments will be given at the Casino, to-morrow evening, by the Oxford Musical Club. The programme is as follows:

James A. Korman, conductor; Howard E. Tilton, manager; Frank Lancy, instrumentalist; Ralph L. Reinwald, cornet, violin and mandolin; Arthur E. Thrasher, tenor soloist, and mandolin and banjo.  
Mr. Reinwald, "The Club"  
Tenor solo, "Gone with the Wind"  
Flute and Cornet duet, "The Serenade"  
Messrs. Tilton and Reinwald.  
Descriptive, "Down the Mississippi"  
The Club  
Piano solo, "Sweet Bitter Poems"  
Mr. Tilton  
Bass solo, "The Three Sisters"  
Mr. Korman  
Bass solo, "The Magic Waltz"  
Mr. Proctor  
Descriptive, "Ten Minutes With the Minstrels"  
(Introducing a new part of a minstrel show)  
Trousseau solo Air Varié, "Tramp, Tramp, Tramp"  
Mr. Proctor  
Tenor and Bass Duets, "The Palm"  
Messrs. Thrasher and Korman  
Cornet solo, "Old Kentucky Home,"  
Mr. Reinwald.  
Descriptive, "A Day at the Circus"  
The Club  
Cornet and Trombone, "Selected"  
Messrs. Reinwald and Proctor  
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## Week of Prayer for Young Men.

This being the week of prayer for young men throughout the world, meetings will be held Monday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday nights, in the Y. M. C. A. rooms, at 8:30 p. m. It is hoped all members will feel interested in these meetings and attend. A very cordial invitation is extended to all men to be present.

## Ordered to Commence Drill.

The 124th company has been ordered to commence drills to-morrow night, and to continue them until May 15.

The armory will be open every night, except Saturday and Sunday, from 7 to 10:30 o'clock.

Burglars in a North Street Grocery.

Thieves effected an entrance to Ritter's grocery store on North street, Sunday night, through a cellar window, and stole a number of whips and a quantity of cigars. There is no clue to the thieves.

Stole a Set of Harness.

Some one entered the barn at Horace W. Corey's place, south of this city, Sunday afternoon or evening, and stole a set of light double harness. Mr. Corey will pay \$10 to find out who the thief was.

Interesting Lecture on Foreign Missions.

Mrs. Rhea, who has just returned from ten years' missionary work in Persia, gave a very interesting address on mission work at the Second Presbyterian Church, Sunday night.

Hunting Deer in Pike County.

Jacob Gunther's party of deer hunters, Messrs. Hubbard, Berthold, Galloway and Gurney went to Pike county, this morning. L. G. Wilson will join the party to-morrow.

## HYMENEAL.

Wm. E. Minot, a well known employee of the Wallkill hat works, and Miss Maud MacDonald, were united in marriage by Rev. David Winters, November 7. The bride was attired in a neat traveling dress of brown cloth, and the couple left at once for New York. They are now residing with the bride's parents at No. 34½ Lake avenue.

The announcement is made of the marriage of Frank H. H. and Miss Annie Helms, of Goshen. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. R. E. Upjohn, on Sept. 16, 1894, at the church of the Virgin of St. Mary, in New York city. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles I. Hulke. Both young people are well known and popular in Goshen.

Miss Ann Sayer, who was a well known caterer, and was well to do. She was a sister of the late Andrew Sayer, who died in this city, and whose wife was at her death bed. The deceased was about sixty years of age.

Mrs. Sarah Etta Stage, wife of M. C. Gregory, of Monroe, died there, this morning, aged forty years and five months.

She was the daughter of the late Joseph D. Stage, of Crystal Run, and is survived by her husband, mother, Mrs. Mary J. Stage, of Crystal Run, a sister, Libbie, wife of B. F. Livingston, of Waverly, and three brothers, John B. Stage, of Brooklyn; S. G. Stage, of Crystal Run, and N. D. Stage, of Kingston.

The notice of the funeral is published elsewhere.

Miss Susan C. Cole died at 26 East Main street, to-day, aged eighty-three years. She was a daughter of Samuel and Diana Cole, and was born on what is known as the McBride farm near Westtown. She came to this city many years ago, and for a time conducted successfully a private school. Of later years she has aided to her income by selling subscription books among her friends. She was a woman of unusual refinement, and was held in deservedly high esteem by all who knew her.

The notice of the funeral appears elsewhere.

Thomas Welling, a prominent citizen of the town of Warwick, died Sunday, aged sixty-eight years, after a long and painful illness.

The deceased was a farmer by occupation, and was the head of one of the six generations who have lived on the Welling homestead.

He is survived by his wife, who was Miss Van Duzer, and the following children: Mrs. Clinton W. Winner, Mrs. J. E. V. Miller, Mrs. A. W. Edsall, Sarah at home, William and Thomas, all residing in or about Warwick. Edward, a son, died last spring.

The deceased was an own cousin of Mrs. J. B. Van Duzer, of this city.

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## AT THE COUNTY SEAT.

INCIDENTS AND HAPPENINGS IN GOSHEN TOWN.

Injured While Trying to Board a Moving Train—Officer Whidden's Vacation—Odd Fellows' Beneficial Fair—Seaten at Post Hall—Other Notes.

From Our Regular Correspondent.

—Robbitt Sherman, a seventeen-year-old boy residing on the "Green," was badly injured about the head and shoulder, Sunday afternoon, while endeavoring to board a west bound freight train at Cross street. He was thrown violently against the boxing, which encloses the signal wires.

—Policeman Whidden is taking his vacation, a part of which will be spent in Boston.

—The Odd Fellows' fair closed, Saturday night. It had been very successful, and a good sized sum was realized. A number of valuable articles were raffled and sold at auction. Ticket 59 won a ton of coal.

—The Vocal Society will hold a special rehearsal, to-night.

—Arthur Decker has returned from a visit with his parents at Monticello.

—Goshen was defeated at foot ball by the Warwick's, Saturday. Score, 12 to 0.

—W. W. Whiddit, Jr., has started a singing class at Central Valley.

—A regular monthly meeting of the Goshen Social and Athletic Association will be held, to-night.

—A course of three popular readings will be given at the Music Hall, under patronage of the Goshen Vocal Society. Marshall Darraco will open the course on Tuesday, Nov. 22d, when he will recite Shakespeare's "Twelfth Night," a sparkling and mirthful comedy, in which he is irresistible. George Riddle has also been engaged. Course tickets will be \$1.25, with reserved seat. Single tickets will be 50 cents for each reading. Tickets at Mr. C. E. Mills' parlors, to-morrow.

—Six firemen on the Susquehanna Division of the Erie have been promoted to engineers, owing to the rush of freight. Some extra firemen have been out on the list.

—A. B. Salisbury, a brakeman on the New York Division of the Erie, had his right hand so badly crushed while coupling cars in the Port Jervis yard, Friday, that amputation of the second, third and fourth fingers and of part of the hand was necessary.

—The New York, Ontario and Western Railway Company announce their usual Thanksgiving excursion to New York city. Tickets will be sold at greatly reduced rates, good going on all trains of November 26th. Therefore, an opportunity is offered our readers to eat their Thanksgiving turkey in the great metropolis, where everything is hustle and activity at this season of the year. Luxurious reclining chair cars will be run on all trains. It

A Port Jervis Fireman Injured.

Frank Van Sickle, a member of Port Jervis's Hook and Ladder Company, attempted to board the truck while it was returning from a fire, Friday night, but missed his footing and fell in front of one of the hind wheels, which ran over his legs and right arm, bruising them very badly.

A Farmer's Perilous Plunge.

From the Goshen Independent.

A farmer who lives not many miles from Monroe, recently went out to feed his pigs. The swell in the barrel being low, he leaned far over to dip it, and losing his balance was precipitated into the barrel. His cries for help were heard by some members of the family, who rescued him with considerable difficulty from his sad plight.

Erie's Thanksgiving Day Excursion.

On Thanksgiving Day, the Erie will run a \$1.00 excursion to New York. Tickets good only on train 16 leaving Middletown, James street station 7:10 a. m. and Main St., 7:12 a. m. Returning on any train scheduled to stop at Middletown, except train 5, on same day.

Hymeneal Notes.

—A Beulton avenue wedding is shortly to be announced, and then a great many business men and clerks on North, James, Main and King streets will say: "I told you so."

Jealous Rivals.

Cannot turn back the tide. The demand for Dr. Agnew's Little Pills is a marvel. Cheap to buy, but diamonds in quality—banish nausea, coated tongue, water brash, pain after eating, sick headache, never gripe, operate pleasantly. 10 cents.

Sold by J. E. Mills and McMonagle & Rogers.

Easy to Take

Easy to Operate

Are features regular to Hood's Pills. Small in size, tasteless, pleasant, thorough. As one man

Hood's Pills

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# Royal Baking Powder

Made from pure cream of tartar.

Safeguards the food against alkali.

When baking powders are the greatest enemies to health of the present day.

There is a class of people who are injured by the use of coffee. Recently there has been placed in all grocery stores a new preparation called GRAIN-O, made of pure grains, that takes the place of coffee. The most delicate stomach receives it without distress, and but few can tell it from coffee. It does not cost over one-quarter as much. Children may drink it with great benefit. 15 cents and 25 cents per package. Try it. Ask for GRAIN-O.

CHAMOTS VBSTs and CHEST PROTECTORS!

MADE OF THE OLIVE CHAMOTS.

Warranted to Wash and Not Harden.

OGDEN & SHIMER, King's Pharmacy

Cor. West Main and South St.

TELEPHONE 126

ONE HOUSE TO LET.

142 Wickham Ave.

ALL IMPROVEMENTS

Dr. Fancher, 16 Orchard St.

Optimus

Cough Cure!

Never fails to relieve and cure coughs, colds, croup, hoarseness and asthma. One bottle does the work, 25c.

W. D. OLNEY, DRUGGIST, 4 E. MAIN ST.

FACTS TALK!

And this is what they say—

That every buyer at our closing out sale saves a lot of money, for instance;

\$5 Mackintoshes for \$3.50.

\$8 Mackintoshes for \$6.

Men's Lined Working Coats for 75c, that usually sell at \$1.25.

\$2 or \$3 saved if you buy a Pea Jacket of Lined.

A bang up Lined Glove, 50 and 75c goods, for 38c.

\$1 and \$1.50 Boys' Flannel Waists for 50 and 75c.

FIGURES PROVE that on every sale of Ready Made Suits and Overcoats we save the purchaser from \$2 to \$5.

And the same reduction made in our Custom Department. Some of those \$5 and \$6 Trousers Patterns left, \$3.50 now.

Do you want the goods? We want to close out.

George W. Young,

Clothier and Merchant Tailor,

16-18 East Main Street.



WE HAVE JUST COMPLETED  
another of our record  
breaking

## Carpet Sales!

and now turn our attention to  
bargains in every other line  
of goods in our large ware-  
rooms.

In order to make room for  
our holiday goods (which are  
arriving every few days), we  
will have to move a large  
amount of goods during the  
month of November, and we  
are going to ask all our  
friends, and those who wish  
to be, to help us move these  
goods.

As an inducement we will  
offer you unheard of bargains  
in

Furniture, Carpets, Crockery and  
Silver Platedware.

Don't miss this chance. Step  
in and let us quote you some  
prices.

**G. EMMET CRAWFORD,**  
44-46 North Street.

### EVER HAVE A HEADACHE?

Get a package of Nature's  
Headache Powders—Keep 'em in  
the house—have 'em handy.

Have you a severe "splitting"  
headache? Nature's Headache  
Powders are just the thing.

Have you a dull headache?  
Nature's Headache Powders will  
relieve it.

Have you a nervous headache?  
Nature's Headache Powders will  
cure it.

Have you a neuralgic head-  
ache? Try Nature's Headache  
Powders.

Have you a headache from a  
cold? See how quickly Nature's  
Headache Powders will give you  
ease.

Nature's Headache Powders  
have been so successful since we  
first brought them out, that we  
want to make them better known.

When traveling, take Nature's  
Headache Powders with you.

When late hours or severe  
brain work gives you headache,  
Nature's Headache Powders are  
what you need—We make them

—They contain no morphine or  
other narcotic. Nature's Head-  
ache Powders are 10 cents a  
package—(4 doses).

For any kind of headache—  
always use Nature's Headache  
Powders.

McMonagle & Rogers, 30 North  
St. and 155 North St. (North Side  
Pharmacy.)

## SIDE BOARDS.

15 different patterns, all solid  
and some quartered oak. Will  
be placed on sale for this week  
only.

Prices from \$7.85 up  
and Strictly for cash.

Delivered free in city limits  
only. No freight charges prepaid  
on this Special Sale, nor can we  
hold for later delivery as the only  
object of this sale at such sacri-  
ficing prices is to make room for  
a large line of Holiday Goods.

SALE IS FOR THIS WEEK ONLY. THE  
GOODS ARE ALL NEW, BUT WE MUST HAVE  
ROOM.

The Cheapest House Furnishers.

**FRANCE &**

**HATHAWAY,**

25 AND 27 EAST MAIN STREET

### NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

—For months we have been  
—See public notice of Common Council.  
—Lawyers wanted.  
—Special meeting Firemen's Benefit and Relief  
Association.  
—Low prices for coal at Van Fleet's.  
—\$4.25 a barrel for Patent Flour at Sloan's Cash  
Store.  
—See ordinance of trolley leaders.  
—Two rooms to let.  
—Delaware oysters at 144 North street.  
—Programme Cottage Theatre.

### LIVE LOCAL TOPICS.

—Remember that the third page of this  
paper contains good local matter, to-  
day.

—"Zero" at the Casino, Friday eve-  
ning.

—Regular meeting of Capt. Jackson  
Post, to-night.

—There will be a special meeting of  
Eagle Hose Company, to-night.

—Remember the date for "Zero" will  
be Friday evening, at the Casino.

—There will be a first-class and varied  
programme by the Oxford Musical Club  
at the Casino, to-night.

—The O. and W. band's ball at the  
Assembly Rooms, to-morrow evening,  
will be a pleasant affair.

—Tri-States Hose Co., No. 6, of Port  
Jervis, has started a singing school, and  
has secured a large class.

—The Oxford Musical Club will give  
the first of the Y. M. C. A. course of en-  
tertainments, to-night.

—The death of I. Emory Davis is the  
third which has occurred in the three  
years' existence of the Firemen's Benefit  
and Relief Association.

—The members of the O. and W. band  
have hosts of friends and they will turn  
out in large numbers at the first annual  
ball of the organization, to be held at  
Assembly Rooms, to-morrow evening.

—"Zero" is said to be one of the best  
shows booked at the Casino this season.  
It will be produced at the Casino, Friday  
evening, and the usual house prices pre-  
vail.

—George Morrow, a student at Clav-  
erack Institute, had a leg broken in a  
game of foot ball, Saturday, with the  
Riverside Academy team, in Poughkeep-  
sie.

—Go early and get a good supper at  
the First Baptist Church, Thursday eve-  
ning. Supper will be ready at six o'clock,  
and meals will be served until ten. Oys-  
ters in every style and of the finest quality  
will be served. Proceeds for the organ  
fund.

—Frank C. Van Tassel, of 31 Lake ave-  
nue, was about town, to-day, with a  
handsome red fox, which he shot near  
Barryville, Sullivan county, Monday.  
Besides what he will get for the pet, he  
will receive a \$2 bounty from Sullivan  
county.

### PERSONAL.

—A marked improvement in the con-  
dition of Louis Wolf is reported, to-day.

—Mrs. H. C. McBair and son,  
Lawrence, went to New York, to-day.

—Geo. White, who has been spending  
a few days in town, went to New York,  
to-day.

—Chief Charles Higham is about after  
two weeks' suffering from a wound made  
by stepping on a rusty nail.

—W. W. Matthias started on a west-  
ern trip for the Eagle File Company,  
Monday night.

—Abram Besthoff, who has been visit-  
ing his daughter, Mrs. Isaac Lipfeld, re-  
turned to New York, to-day.

—R. S. Lutes, of Newfoundland, N. J.,  
is in this city, to-day, a guest of the Hold-  
ing House.

—E. D. C. Crans did not pass a favor-  
able night, and it is feared that he cer-  
tainly has typhoid fever.

—Mrs. Thomas Carey and daughter,  
Maggie, of this village, spent Sunday  
with friends in Middletown.—Port Jervis  
Union.

—W. H. Brokaw, the well known New  
York auctioneer, who held a sale at C.  
L. Swetz's last winter, is in town and  
another auction will be held.

—John M. Talmadge, of Wawayanda,  
was in this city on business, to-day. He  
will be eighty-four years old on March  
1st, but is still able to look after all his  
large business interests.

—Frank Finn is able to be about on  
crutches, the injury to his knee received  
while umpiring the football game on the  
State Hospital grounds, Saturday, Nov.  
5th, showing considerable improvement.

### TO WELCOME ITS SOLDIERS.

Kingston Planning a Magnificent Re-  
ception for Company M.

The 114th Company of Kingston is  
planning to hold a grand bazaar, early  
in December, to raise funds with which  
to give Company M, of the First New  
York Volunteers, a rousing reception on  
its return home. If the plans now under  
way are carried out the reception given  
the boys from Honolulu will surpass  
anything ever attempted in Kingston.

Will Hunt Quail and Moose.

H. K. Wilcox and T. A. Weller left for  
Peachland, N. C., to-day, where they  
will shoot quail.

Dr. Myers, of Slate Hill, started for a  
hunting trip in Maine, this morning.  
Moose is to be the particular object of  
his aim.

Close Voting.

The canvass of the returns of Deer-  
park's town meeting, completed by the  
town board, Monday afternoon, showed  
a majority of one vote for Banks, the  
Republican candidate for overseer of the  
poor.

Itchiness of the skin, horrible plague.  
Most everybody afflicted in one way  
or another. Only one safe, never-failing  
cure. Doan's Ointment. At any drug  
store, 50 cents.

### HYMENEAL.

Bedraw—Van Orden.  
From the Port Jervis Union.

Miss Katie DeGraw and Mr. George  
Van Orden were married at the home of  
the bride's parents, on the Grove road,  
near Golden Farm, on Sunday afternoon,  
by the Rev. Geo. E. Gillespie, of the First  
Presbyterian Church, this village.

### OBITUARY.

Mrs. Phoebe Cox.

R. M. Cox and Miss Lillian J. Cox are  
at Newark, to-day, attending the funeral  
of their grandmother, Mrs. Phoebe Cox.  
Mrs. Cox died Saturday evening, aged  
eighty-seven years.

The following children survive her:  
M. B. Cox, of Vernon, N. J.; Raymond,  
of Paterson; R. P., of Newark; Mrs.  
Delia Clark and Mrs. Jennie Gregory, of  
Newark.

Philip B. Elting.

Philip B. Elting, formerly of Port Jer-  
vis, died, Saturday, at Jetmore, Kan.,  
aged seventy-four years. He lived on  
the homestead farm on the Neversink,  
near Port Jervis until 1895, when he  
went to Kansas and bought a farm  
there.

He was a son of Rev. Cornelius C.  
Elting. He leaves a number of relatives  
in this vicinity. Mrs. J. L. Stillwell, of  
Bloomington, is a niece.

I Emory Davis.

I. Emory Davis died at his home, No.  
11 Kuapp avenue, Monday afternoon, of  
consumption.

The deceased was twenty-eight years  
of age, and for several years had been in  
poor health. For the last seven weeks  
he was confined to his home.

He was a son of Moses E. and Abbie C.  
Davis, and was born in the town of  
Fallburgh. He married Ellen Elizabeth  
Hadden, January 28th, 1892, who sur-  
vives him, with two children, Esther,  
aged three, and Ralph, aged one year.  
His mother is also living, and two broth-  
ers, Bert and Alexander S., of this city.

The deceased was employed by Morgan  
& Wilbur for nine years, when ill health  
forced him to retire for rest and recupera-  
tion. So highly were his services regard-  
ed, however, that he was constantly  
sought for by music dealers, his last  
position being with Bradnock. He re-  
presented the Chicago Cottage Organ Com-  
pany for a number of years. He was a  
first-class salesman, a kind father and  
husband, and a companion who was held  
in the highest esteem by all who knew him.

He enjoyed membership, when in health,  
in Eagle Hose Company, and in the Fire-  
men's Relief and Benefit Association.

### THE COUNTY CANVASSERS.

In session at Goshen—Charles W.  
Loomis Made Chairman.

The Board of Supervisors met at noon,  
to-day, in its rooms at Goshen, as a  
Board of County Canvassers. Charles  
W. Loomis, of Mount Hope, was chosen  
chairman. Deputy County Clerk Charles  
G. Elliott was clerk ex officio.

Immediately after organization the  
Board adjourned until 1:30 o'clock,  
when the work of canvassing was be-  
gun.

Three committees of four persons each  
were appointed to canvass the votes.

The Board is not going behind the  
returns, as it did last year. It can  
only tabulate the returns as re-  
ceived except that it may cause the town  
canvassers to correct purely clerical  
errors. It has no right to open void or  
protested ballots, except by order of the  
court.

The O. and W. Band's Ball.

The O. and W. Band makes its first  
venture in the social world at the Assem-  
bly Rooms, to-morrow evening, when it  
will give a grand ball. The members of  
the band are all good fellows, with hosts  
of friends, and the large sale of tickets  
makes it certain that the ball will be  
largely attended, and the band's com-  
mittee will see that all present have a  
bang-up time.

A Church's sixtieth Anniversary.

Rev. F. A. Heath went to Port Jervis,  
Monday, and delivered an address in the  
evening at the celebration of the sixtieth  
anniversary of the Baptist Church of  
that village. A feature of the celebra-  
tion was the reading of a historical  
sketch of the church by its pastor, Rev.  
E. T. Sanford.

A Greenhouse Wrecked by a Deer.

A deer that was undoubtedly trying to  
get back into Tuxedo Park smashed  
nearly all the glass in George Stewart's  
greenhouse, near the entrance to the park,  
Sunday night. The bloody trail left by  
the deer was followed several miles and  
the wounded animal was killed. It was  
found to be very badly cut.

Board of Representatives of the Fire  
Department.

The Board of Representatives of the  
Fire Department transacted nothing  
but routine business at its meeting, Mon-  
day night.

W. P. Richardson has been elected re-  
presentative from Ontario Hose Company,  
in place of the late John Cunningham.

North Street Church's New England Sup-  
per.

Don't forget the New England supper  
to be given at the North Street Congrega-  
tional Church, Friday evening, Nov.  
18th. The ladies are noted for their  
chicken pie. Supper served from 6 to  
10 o'clock for twenty-five cents. Also  
a fine entertainment to be given.

A household security. Dr. Thomas'  
Electric Oil Heals burns, cuts, wounds,  
of any sort; cures sore throat, croup,  
catarrh, asthma; never fails.

### THE SOLDIERS' VOTE.

Certificates of City Nominations sent  
Thru, Oct. 21st.—Were probably inac-  
curate.

City Clerk Taylor received, to day, the  
following letter from Secretary of State  
Palmer, in answer to one inquiring when  
certificates of city nominations were sent  
the soldiers:

ALBANY, N. Y., Nov. 14.  
J. B. A. Taylor, City Clerk,  
In answer to your letter of the 12th  
just would say that the lists of nomina-  
tions for city officers were sent to Hon-  
olulu on the 21st day of October, and if  
nothing happened, would reach there in  
time for the general election. Lists were  
also sent to all the regiments and com-  
panies from this State not mustered out.

JOHN PALMER,  
Secretary of State.

Both Democratic and Republican par-  
ties had to fill a number of vacancies on  
their tickets. The Republican conven-  
tion was held Oct. 12, and the Demo-  
cratic Oct. 13. Dr. Hulet's declination  
of the Democratic nomination for Mayor  
was filed at Goshen, Oct. 16. Mr. El-  
wood was placed in nomination by the  
Democratic City Committee Oct. 16, but  
the certificate of nomination was not filed  
with the county clerk until Oct. 22.

Mr. Prook was nominated at a meet-  
ing of the Republican City Committee  
held Saturday evening, Oct. 14. His  
certificate of nomination was filed with  
the county clerk, Oct. 19.

The County Clerk certified the nomi-  
nation to Albany, Oct. 17th, and sent  
changes in the ticket later, but has no  
record of the dates.

It is certain, therefore, that the list of  
nominations sent from Albany did not  
contain Mr. Elwood's name and proba-  
bly it did not contain Mr. Prook's.

This is a matter of small moment,  
however, for the soldiers would have  
been advised of the changes in the city  
tickets from the lists of nominations  
printed in the city papers.

### MORE ELECTION EXPENSES.

Some Candidates Who spent Nothing and  
One Who Hired a Hall.

The election expenses filed by some of  
the candidates with the city clerk since  
the list was printed, Monday, include  
the following:

Daniel Finn, (Rep. Board of Edu-  
cation)—Not one single cent.

W. C. F. Bastian (Rep. Alderman-at-  
Large)—Nothing.

J. A. Wallace (Dem. Supervisor)—City  
Committee \$10; rent Nicholson's Hall  
\$3.

C. E. Ducolon (Rep. Alderman)—noth-  
ing.

Henry D. Hopkins (Rep. Constable)—  
nothing.

E. Milten (Dem. Water Commissioner)  
—\$5 to Democratic City Committee.

Alfred Allee (Prohibition Supervisor)—  
\$5.

### AT GOSHEN.

Daniel P. Schultz, Democrat, Assem-  
bly, 2d Dist.—Campaign committee, car-  
riages, stationery, postage, etc., \$292.

J. E. Ward, Democrat, Assembly, 1st  
Dist.—Nothing.

Charles L. Mead, Republican, County  
Treasurer—Republican State Commit-  
tee, \$2,500; printing, \$5; writing letters,  
\$10.

### AN EXCELLENT SUGGESTION.

Send the Soldiers' heavy Flannels to  
Them at San Francisco.

Captain Gould makes a most excellent  
suggestion to the families and relatives  
of members of Co. I. It is that the sol-  
diers' winter flannels be shipped to San  
Francisco so as to be in readiness for  
them when they reach this country. The  
Captain has a friend in San Francisco  
named Lawrence, who will gladly take  
charge of such a shipment and who will  
see that the warm underclothing is dis-  
tributed to the soldiers as soon as the  
transport with them on board passes  
through the Golden Gate.

Captain Gould's suggestion is that the  
packages containing the soldiers' flannels  
be left at the armory (if it would be  
permitted), and packed in a large box  
for shipment to San Francisco.

FIRST NEW YORK VOLUNTEERS  
The Australia Will Bring the Boys Back  
to San Francisco.

A San Francisco dispatch says: The  
steamship Australia, which will leave  
for Honolulu, on Wednesday, will bring  
the First New York Regiment back to  
San Francisco. The Australia is now  
being prepared at Pacific Street Dock for  
the voyage, and may take down a quan-  
tity of supplies for the troops.

Big Shoe Strike.  
MARLBORO, Mass., Nov. 15.—The  
joint executive council of the Boot and  
Shoe Workers' union at noon yesterday  
ordered out the 2,600 employees in seven  
factories, the S. H. Howe company,  
Rice & Hutchins and J. A. Frye & Co.  
being the firms affected. This action  
followed the failure of a conference  
committee to come to terms with the  
firms named. These firms announced  
they would not recognize the union.

Very Successful Hunters.  
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in this city.

Hundreds of lives saved every year by  
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house just when it is needed. Cures croup,  
heals burns, cuts, wounds of every sort.

Big Coal Companies Fail.  
CINCINNATI, Nov. 15.—The Turney  
and Jones coal company of Columbus,  
O., and the Pennsylvania and Ohio Fuel  
company of St. Paul, with offices also  
in Chicago, were yesterday by the fed-  
eral court put into the hands of the  
Security and Title company of Chicago as  
receivers.

Success comes to those who persevere.  
If you take Hood's Sarsaparilla faithfully  
and persistently you will surely be  
benefited.

The little folks love Dr. Wood's New-  
way Pine Syrup. Pleasant to take; pre-  
vents colds, cures coughs, whooping  
cough, bronchitis, asthma.

### AT THE COUNTY SEAT.

INCIDENTS AND HAPPENINGS IN  
GOSHEN TOWN.

Memorial Service—Ladies' Whist Club—  
To Be Married, Thursday—Social and  
Athletic Association's Meeting.

From Our Regular Correspondent.

—To-morrow evening a memorial ser-  
vice will be held in the Methodist Epis-  
copal Church in this village, in honor of  
the late Floyd H. Reeves.

—The Ladies' Whist Club will meet on  
Wednesday afternoon, at the home of  
Mrs. Frost.

—At the residence of Mr. and Mrs. J.  
M. Dean, on Thursday afternoon of this  
week, Miss Henrietta Vandergrift and  
Robert J. Ladue will be united in mar-  
riage by Rev. A. M. Griffin. Mr. and  
Mrs. Ladue will reside at the home of  
the bride, after a short bridal tour. Both  
are popular young residents of this vil-  
lage. The ceremony will be a quiet one  
and only the immediate families of the  
young people will attend.

—The Goshen Social and Athletic  
Association held a meeting last night.  
James E. Landy acted as president pro  
tem. Arrangements for a bowling  
tournament to be completed this month  
were made, and a committee consisting  
of Messrs. Goodale, Gregg and Larkin  
appointed to arrange for the smoker to  
be held at the occasion of the annual  
meeting in December.

BOY BURGLARS AT TURNERS.  
Three Places Entered and \$65 Worth  
of Booty Secured—Two Young Lads  
Held for the Grand Jury.

From Our Turner's Correspondent.

The store of D. M. Hollenbeck was  
broken into on election night and two  
watches, some pocket knives, revolver,  
cartridges and \$65 in money stolen.  
Mr. Hollenbeck was of the opinion that  
it was amateur's work, so the matter  
was kept quiet and not a dozen residents  
knew of the theft. On Sunday night  
Stephen Earl's saloon at the depot, and  
T. Byron Earl's store were entered.

From the former \$7 was taken, and from  
the latter some pocket knives, twenty  
cents in money and a bicycle were stolen.  
Master John Hyden, fourteen-years-old,  
had a suspicious amount of change,  
Monday morning, and upon questioning,  
admitted that he and another lad, fif-  
teen-years-old, Paul Mertz, had com-  
mitted the theft. He had in his possession  
one of the watches taken from Hollen-  
beck's store.

Warrants were soon out for their ar-  
rest, and Mertz was found at his home.  
The bicycle was found hidden in the hay  
loft in the barn. The boys were taken  
before Justice Rake, and as the value of  
the stolen property was \$65, he remand-  
ed them to Goshen jail to await the ac-  
tion of the Grand Jury.

A GIFT TO HER CHURCH.  
A Baptismal Fount Presented to the  
Bloomington Reformed Church by  
One of Its Oldest Members.

From Our Bloomington Correspondent.

The Reformed Church of Bloom-  
ington has just been made the recipient  
of a beautiful baptismal fount from Mrs.  
I. C. Jordan, of Newburgh, in commemo-  
ration of her eighty-second birthday.

Mrs. Jordan is the mother of I. C. Jordan,  
of Middletown, and of Joseph Jordan,  
of Newburgh. She was a former  
resident of Bloomington and holds  
her church membership there. Although  
she has passed the four score mile stone,  
she is still young at heart and vigorous  
in body, having been able only last sum-  
mer to spend a few weeks at the old  
homestead.

The fount is of Italian marble. Around  
the bowl are inscribed the words, "One  
God, One Faith, One Baptism," while on  
the base is marked the name of the donor  
and the date of the presentation.

A Kingston Politician Missing.  
Daniel Colligan, a well known politi-  
cian, of Kingston, is missing and it is  
feared that he fell into the creek and was  
drowned. He was last seen about 3  
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ing of the private parts. Every box is  
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ceipt of price 50 cents and \$1.00. **WILLIAMS'  
MANUFACTURING CO., Props. Cleveland, Ohio.**



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### His Faith Rewarded.

George had wanted a bicycle for a long time. Last year his birthday was blighted by the fact that he did not get the much-coveted wheel, and so he awaited the day this time with much anxiety. During the week before he regularly and earnestly resorted to prayer that he might have his desire granted. His parents really feared for his faith should he be disappointed. Therefore on the morning of his birthday he found awaiting him by his bedside a beautiful new wheel. "Well," he called out cheerfully, "I thought the Lord wouldn't have the nerve to refuse me this time."—Current Literature.

### Apparent Difference.

Johnny—Pa, some of the curious people round here they call "odd" and some of the others "eccentric." What's the difference?

Pa—When a man is said to be eccentric he usually has more or less money. When he is poor a man is simply odd.—Boston Transcript.

### Municipal Jealousies.

New Yorker—You are a stranger here, I presume?

Chicago Man (haughtily)—I am from the great city that New York is jealous of.

New Yorker—Ah! And how are things in dear old Lunnion?—N. Y. Weekly.

### Heap o' Difference.

Mrs. Jorks (reading the evening paper)—I see that Mrs. Moaner's jewel case has been stolen. I wonder how much it would be worth?

Mr. Jorks—That depends, dear, whether it is Mrs. Moaner the actress or Mrs. Moaner the banker's wife.—Ally Sloper.

### Marked Zepo.

Teacher—What does the word marital mean?

Tommy—Carrying a pouch.

Teacher—Give an example of a marital.

Tommy—A tobacco smoker.—Chicago Tribune.

### Put to a New Use.

'Twas the first letter written on a typewriter that Rachel had ever received.

"Mamma, mamma!" exclaimed the little lady as the postman left, "I've got a letter that was written on the sewing machine."—Judge.

### She Gave Him No Chance.

Bacon—Did you say you hadn't had a chance to speak to your wife about that matter we talked over, last week?

Egbert—That's what I said.

"Well, it seems very strange."

"Oh, no, it doesn't. You don't know my wife."—Yonkers Statesman.

### Seeking Information.

"Oh, Mr. Van Dobbs!" exclaimed Mrs. Cumrox.

"What is it?" inquired the artist.

"Would you mind telling me whether this picture is impressionistic or whether it hasn't been finished."—Washington Star.

### He Don't Believe It.

Mary—Teacher says history repeats itself.

Tommy—Well, I guess it don't. And a feller's got to do some pretty hard scarpin' to be able to repeat it himself.—N. Y. Truth.

### Love's Young Dream.

Sweet Girl—Papa, Mr. Poorchap proposed to me last night, and I told him I would marry him, if you were willing.

Father—Send him about his business.

Sweet Girl—He hasn't any.—N. Y. Weekly.

### Ode to a Pipe.

Pipe! Oh, rank and odorous pipe! Thee will I smoke; I'd rather have a good cigar—But, alas! I'm broke.

—Chicago Daily News.

### WHAT MORE COULD HE WANT?



"I thought you said there was an extensive view from my room?"

"Well, hang it, man! on clear nights you can see the moon—when there is one."—Ally Sloper.

### Litterateur's Confession.

"To grow long hair I'm tryin', And the reason must be plain; To become a social lion One of course must have a mane."

—Washington Star.

### What He Was After.

"I believe this is a through train?" said the road agent.

"It is," replied the conductor.

"Then I will proceed to go through it," announced the polite robber.—Philadelphia North American.

### Discovery.

Wilson—Higbee has discovered the secret of perpetual motion.

Bradford—What is it?

Wilson—A teething baby.—Harlem Life.

### Observed in Passing.

Newspaper—I have noticed that babies always have very open countenances.

Oldpope—Yes; especially about midnight.—Brooklyn Life.

### Woe That of a Woman.

Wife (reading the paper)—The girl has a tongue 18 inches long.

Spouse—Aren't you jealous?—N. Y.

### LOCATION OF LIFE ALKES BOXES.

For the information of our readers, we publish below a complete list of the numbers and locations of all the life alkies in this city:

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### To-Night and To-morrow Night

And each day and night during this week you can get at any druggist's Kemp's Balsam for the throat and lungs, acknowledged to be the most successful remedy ever sold for coughs, croup, bronchitis, asthma and consumption. Get a bottle to-day and keep it always in the house, so you can check your cold at once. Price 25c. and 50c. Sample bottle free.

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An offer of this kind is the meanest of deceptions. Our plan is to give every one a chance to try the merit of Ely's Cream Balm—the original Balm for the cure of Catarrh, Hay Fever and Cold in the Head, by mailing, for 10 cents a trial size to test its curative powers. We mail the 50 cent size also and the druggists keeps it. Test it and you are sure to continue the treatment. Relief is immediate and a cure follows. Ely Brothers, 56 Warren street, New York.

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# ON THE TIP OF THE TONGUE.

"Talk about good eaters," said Capt. Totten, to-day, "there were four persons in here the other night who ate thirty-two hard crabs and washed them down with six bottles of beer, which they brought in with them."

The captain could not explain the uneven proportion of eat and drink.

Newspaper men occasionally have something funny in their own line, and the Argus man enjoyed one of the Press man, Saturday.

The Argus man had secured an interview with Postmaster Benedict, of Ellenville, in regard to the robbery of his office, in the post office in this city, through the kindness of Postmaster Dayton. The Ellenville man was in a great hurry as he wanted to take the 8:45 train for home, and he popped out his words in a way that suggested the exploding of fire crackers. Then he started out of the office and broke into a run for the Wickham avenue depot.

As he neared the Erie tracks, the Press man hurried into the post office on a tip from Mr. Dayton, and anxiously inquired for the Ellenville P. M.

"He's just started for the Wickham avenue depot."

The Press man darted out and saw his man flying across the Erie tracks.

Forgetting his dignity, he broke into a get-there gait and started in pursuit. That was when the Argus man had fun. The Ellenville P. M. is a sprinter, and has no corns. He led by ten yards at Railroad avenue; at Sutton's store the Press man overhauled him, too much out of breath to be able to ask him anything much. Together they sprinted along North street, and before Thrall Park was passed the Press man had his facts.

The Argus published a story some time ago of the clever recapture of a diamond ring by a local dealer, after it had been successfully lifted by the wife of a well known man who formerly resided here. Several interesting stories have since leaked out about this woman. Another jeweler mourned the absence of a pair of ear rings for which she settled to escape further trouble.

But the best story of all is that told by the ladies of a certain club which held frequent parties and dances in the homes of the members. The husband of the lady in question being popular, he and his wife were invited to attend. A handsome pair of ostrich feathers were snatched from a box the first night Mrs. Blank attended. She had been seen going into the ladies' room alone, during the evening. At the next party several handkerchiefs were missing and then invitations ceased. A fortnight after the theft of the feathers she appeared on the street with her hat topped off with a pair of black ostrich plumes which waved defiance to their former owner and to the other members of the club of which she had been a guest.

This particularly buxom woman did not stop at jewelry and hat feathers, however, but succeeded in capturing a cloak which belonged to a young woman who attended a dance at which this fletcher was present. The cloak did not show up for a long time, but recently Mrs. Blank was seen with it, and the day that the owner called at police headquarters to identify it it possible as it glistered over the shoulders of Mrs. Blank, the latter took her baby aboard the Erie 10:48 train and left for New York.

"The liveliest time I had in Cuba," said Private Seeland, Saturday, "occurred one night about midnight. We were lying in tents on a hill, and a man a few tents from me started up in a nightmare and ran up and down the street calling out: 'Here come the Spaniards!'"

"Everybody jumped up, grabbed his gun and sought shelter, and a few fired into the darkness. It was some time before the excitement was quieted, and then an investigation was made. The soldier awoke in the meantime and told of his dream."

## A PERFECT AUTUMNAL DAY.

Many Middletowners Enjoyed It Out of Doors.

Sunday was an ideal autumnal day and many people enjoyed it out of doors. In the afternoon there was a general outpouring of the people. The streets of Goshen were filled with Middletowners, and on the streets of this city were seen many of Goshen's well known people. Everybody with horses drove some where, and many took long walks out into the country.

Hunters filled a milk car on the Erie's early train, and the woods and the mountains must have resounded with shots.

## A Wheelbarrow Rode Through North Street.

The wheelbarrow action bet was paid Saturday night, and one shopman wheeled another from M. Duncen's hotel to Franklin Square and back again. An army of youngsters, who gazed the rider and the pusher, followed them along the course.

## Firemen's Relief and Benefit Association's Banquet.

The Firemen's Relief and Benefit Association will hold its first annual reunion, Thanksgiving eve, in the rooms of Dupont Tribe. The committee of arrangements is Thomas A. Marsh, D. McNevin, E. Thorpe, Wm. Pohlman, E. A. Lorenz, A. Heckroth, M. A. Hawes.



George Francis Train, the famous sage of Madison Square.

Square, who has for thirty years declined the companionship of any one but children, says, "I am a child myself." If a man will live rightly and take proper care of his health during youth and maturity he may live a green old age, and still be able to say with absolute truth, "I am a child myself." Youth is not a matter of years. Happiness is not a question of experiences. Youth is happiness and health is youth. The healthy person, young or old, will be a happy person. It is a simple matter to get the body into a healthy condition and then to keep it there. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is the greatest of health makers and health savers. It is the great blood-maker and flesh-builder. It makes the appetite keen, the digestion and assimilation perfect, the liver active, the blood pure, the muscles strong, the brain clear, the nerves steady and every vital organ in the body healthy and vigorous. It makes firm, healthy flesh, but does not make corpulent people more corpulent. It does not make baby flesh like cod liver oil. It purifies the blood and drives out the poisons of malaria and rheumatism. It is the best remedy for blood and skin diseases. It cures 98 per cent of all cases of consumption. Grateful patients, who have been given up to die, have permitted their experiences, names, addresses and photographs to be reproduced in Dr. Pierce's Common Sense Medical Adviser. The sufferer who wishes to investigate may write to any of these. The 'Golden Medical Discovery' is sold by all medicine dealers, and only unscrupulous dealers will try to induce a customer to take some worthless substitute for the sake of a few pennies added profit. Send 21 one-cent stamps to cover cost of mailing only, for a copy of Dr. Pierce's 1008-page illustrated book, "Common Sense Medical Adviser," in paper covers. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

## BIBLE DAY EXERCISES.

Interesting Exercises at First Baptist Church—Sunday School Pupils Who Participated.

The bible day exercises at the First Baptist Church were largely attended, Sunday night. The Sunday School participated in the services under the direction of Supt. Pettit. Among those who took prominent parts were Miss Dot Bidwell, Miss Alice Mulford, Miss Inez Conkling, Walter Harvey, Miss Dora Evans, Miss Saidie Willis, Miss Carrie Evans, Milton Conkling, Hazel Carren, Lester Conkling, Misses Florence Conkling, Louise Rock, Lulu Robinson, Florence Codney, Leah Knapp, Irene Rock, May Gore, Grace Decker, Nellie Bailey, Clara Cromwell, Rev. Frank A. Heath.

## GUILTY OF HAVING VOTED

Newburgh's Reformed Presbyterians Will Not Appear for Trial.

The members of the Reformed Presbyterian Church, of Newburgh, who are accused of violating church discipline by voting at general elections, will be tried Nov. 21st, Presbytery having adjourned to meet there on that day. The accused members will not appear for trial, and their expulsion will follow. They will, however, ask for the resignation of the elder who preferred the charges. This is said to be the first instance in the history of this denomination that the right of members to vote has been formally passed on.

## Assigned His Claim Thirteen Times.

John A. Pellet, a young man of North-west, served as an election inspector, Tuesday, and earned \$6. He at once proceeded to realize on his bill by assigning it to thirteen persons. The many assignments, when they came before the board at its meeting, Thursday, caused a mild sensation.

## The O. and W. Baud's Ball.

The first annual ball of the Ontario and Western band will be held, Wednesday night, at the Assembly Rooms. Bauds will furnish music for dancing. Tickets admitting a gentleman and lady, 50 cents.

## Try Grain-O! Try Grain-O!

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## North Street Sunday School Entertainment.

The North Street M. E. Sunday School will give an entertainment at the chapel, Tuesday evening, Nov. 15. A pleasing programme has been arranged. One of the features will be a guessing contest for prizes on the age of a person to be selected from the audience. Admission, 10 cents.

## MARRIED.

McGINTY—CLEARLY—In this city, July 14, '98, by Rev. Father O'Hanlon, Daniel Stephen McGinty and Miss Sabina Beatrice Cleary, both of this city.

## DIED.

GRIGORY—At Monroe Nov. 14, '98, Sarah Etta Stage, wife of M. C. Gregory, aged forty years, five months. Funeral at Presbyterian Church, Monroe, Wednesday morning, at 11 o'clock. At house at 10:30. Interment at Phillipsburg Cemetery. COLE—In this city, Nov. 14 '98, Susan C. Cole, in her eighty-third year, died at 1:30 from 25 East Main street. Friends will assemble without further notice. Interment in the Sayer Cemetery, Westtown.

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Children's wool seamless ribbed hose, 25c kind, 15c.  
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Gents' wool seamless ribbed hose, 25c kind, 15c.  
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Gents' fine quality seamless wool hose 15c  
Gents' extra fine seamless wool hose, 35c kind, 25c.

Wool Mittens. All Perfect Goods, No Seconds.

Misses' sizes all wool mittens, 10c kind, 5 and 7c.  
Ladies' and children's sizes all wool mittens, 20c kind, 10c.  
Ladies' and children's sizes all wool double mittens, 25c kind, 15c  
Ladies' extra fine cashmere mittens, 35c kind, 25c.  
Children's cotton flannel drawers, from 2 to 12 yrs., at 10 and 15c

WITH CHRISTMAS

only a few weeks from now, we wish to call your attention to the fact that our store is much too small for our holiday stock. We have had to rent a store house and are only able to sample the goods in the store. Our line is nearly complete, and we would advise those that like to buy before the best is gone, to buy early and while they can have proper attention.

We have much the largest line of holiday goods ever shown in Middletown—In Books, Games, Dolls, Toys, Rodgers' Silver Plated Table Ware, Sterling Silver Novelties, Florentine Frames, Celluloid Goods, Fine China, Jardiniers, Brio-a-Brac, Glass Lamps etc.

We are not getting in and marking goods the last few weeks before Christmas, but SELLING them Goods bought at that time are odds and ends that good buyers have passed by.

The Syndicate Fair Store,  
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WE HAVE THEM!

We have had time and again call for colored body stiff bosom shirts, with 2 detached turn down collars and cuffs. They are the proper thing for a railroad man, mechanic or laborer, but they can not be bought with the detached collars to match. We went to work and had a manufacturer make us up a lot of

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These shirts are regular dollar shirts. Our Special Price 59c. Each. We show of these shirts 15 different patterns



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I WILL DISPOSE OF MY ENTIRE STOCK OF

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GOLD PENS, BICYCLES AND BICYCLE SUNDRIES.

Sale to Commence Nov. 15th, at 7:30 O'clock p. m., and continue each night until all is sold. This will be a chance to purchase Christmas Presents at your own price. No old stock.

C. L. SWEZY, 28 James St., Casino Building.

REVOLT IN HAVANA.

Soldiers Determined to Have Their Pay.

A MILITARY PLOT DISCOVERED.

Armed Guards Around Blanco—Sagasta Refuses to Send Money. Resignation Threatened by the Captain General.

HAVANA, via Key West, Nov. 15.—A terrible uprising of revolting Spanish troops is imminent.

General Blanco has lost confidence even in the palace guard, and bloodshed and incendiarism may occur at any moment.

The troops have gathered in the center of the city and are holding it, armed and equipped.

General Arolas has sent the following note to Colonel Paglieri, chief of police:

"You must hold yourself in readiness to dispatch all the forces of the municipality to repress uprisings that are very likely to occur in the city."

A military order has been issued forbidding civilians to pass by O'Reilly street toward the palace.

All carriages are turned back with heavy hands upon the bridges.

The greatest apprehension prevails among the people. It is feared that if General Blanco loses his authority the troops will begin an attack upon life and property.

The troops demand that they shall be paid today. If payment, in part at least, cannot be made, it is likely that the revolt will quickly take place.

General Blanco has received a grave cable dispatch from Madrid, in which Sagasta informed him it was impossible to send 30,000,000 pesetas in silver for the troops.

The prime minister cabled that instead of asking for more money with which to pay the revolted troops General Blanco should crush out the uprising with an iron hand.

Four hundred and fifty thousand pounds have already been sent, but Sagasta stated that this was really more than the Spanish treasury could stand.

Immediately upon the receipt of this dispatch General Blanco summoned to the palace all the Spanish generals in Havana.

They were in consultation for several hours.

It is now reported that General Blanco has refused to send his resignation to Madrid, so serious is the situation.

General Arolas is very bitter against the revolted troops and is in favor of shooting them down if they persist in their menacing attitude.

The city is completely in control of the troops, which continue to arrive from the country.

They have posted themselves at the city gates and are massed in the main streets.

The troops not already in revolt declare their intention to join the order publico, and the civil guard intends fighting them if called out.

It is the opinion of the military commanders that the only means to suppress the revolt is to pay the soldiers at least 50 per cent of the pay due them.

But this, however, is said to be impossible after the dispatch from Sagasta.

One month's pay is to be given immediately to one battalion of the order publico. Instead of this course, General Arolas strongly favored taking out six sergeants of the battalion and shooting them as a lesson to the troops.

Every effort is to be made to keep Sagasta's dispatch from the knowledge of the troops, as it is feared this would be the brand to fire the train.

San Lazare street is occupied by the Baleares battalion, while the Valleneuva station is covered by the Princessa battalion.

The revolt is spreading among the officers, and this increases the alarm.

Pedro Garcia, the soldier of the Third company of the order publico who was wounded on Thursday by General Arolas, is dead. His death has inflamed the troops.

That there was no pillage and massacre during the city revolt was due to the heroism of Captain Don Juan Gomez Lopez of the Second company, order publico.

Captain Lopez was rewarded for it by being presented with the military cross of Maria Christina by General Blanco. The cross raises him to the rank of major.

The plan of the revolt was to unite the four companies of which the battalion order publico is composed and then march to the barracks of the civil guards.

Then the demand for revolt was to be laid before the guards, and if accepted the troops were to sack the city. The banks were to be pillaged.

In accordance with the plan the Third company had to join the Second, and both were then to join the First and Fourth.

When the Third company reached the barracks, it encountered Captain Lopez, who was on duty there.

He placed himself with his back to the door with drawn sword and cried: "No man shall enter or leave this house unless he does it over my dead body!"

The soldiers fell back before his courage, and General Arolas surrounded with faithful troops the barracks of the First and Fourth companies while Captain Lopez parleyed at the doorway.

Havana was again saved from massacre when General Arolas requested leave for his cavalry to charge on the civilians who were merely spectators. Arolas informed Blanco that the people were willing and ready to join the revolt, but the civil governor of Havana, Fernandez Decastro, turned upon Arolas and cried:

"You lie! The civilians are quiet and making no demonstration!"

A heated quarrel between the men re-

sulted in General Blanco's presence, but the military commander succeeded in quieting them, and the charge was not permitted.

Cannon had now been placed at the entrances to the main streets. As the artillerymen are in revolt each of the pieces is manned by five picked officers.

The battalion of the order publico which by revolting because of the non-payment of the wages of its members caused last week's disorder was shipped for Spain yesterday afternoon on board the steamer Alicante. Precautions were taken to prevent an outbreak during the embarkation of the men.

The men were disarmed and marched to the wharf, where they embarked quietly without making any protest.

The Havana Commission.

HAVANA, Nov. 15.—The United States and Spanish evacuation commissioners will hold a joint session tomorrow morning to determine definitely the limits regarding property which the Spaniards may remove and dispose of. Colonel Livermore will sail for New York today by the Ward liner Segurancia. Colonel Thompson and Colonel Ray will leave on Wednesday for Tampa.

BIG FIRE IN DAWSON.

Forty Buildings Burned—Loss Half a Million.

SKAGWAY, Alaska, Nov. 7, via Victoria, Nov. 15.—Returning Klondikers arriving in this city bring the news that the city of Dawson has been visited with a \$500,000 fire, in which 40 buildings were burned, including the new postoffice building and some of the best buildings in the city. The fire took place on the morning of Oct. 16. It started in the Green Tree saloon as the result of a row between two women of the town. Belle Mitchell threw a lighted lamp at another woman. The lamp broke, the oil spread, and in a few seconds the building was on fire. The fire started at 5:20 a. m. The fire of a year ago was caused by the same woman, who threw a lamp at a man with whom she had a quarrel. A month ago she tried to burn her own place in Third avenue in Dawson by throwing a lamp at a woman and nearly caused a conflagration by again losing her temper and wielding another lighted lamp.

At the time the fire alarm sounded a light wind was blowing down the Yukon, and the people at once saw that it would require quick work to save the town from total destruction. The post-office was the next building south of the Green Tree saloon, and the work of getting the mail matter out was quickly done. Although nearly all the mail was saved, it is in great confusion. All that remains to show where formerly 40 buildings stood are a few blackened logs, and the town was saved from total destruction by the fire engine. If it had not been that about 2,000 men turned out and worked like Trojans with wet blankets, buckets of water and axes and aided in the working of the fire apparatus the whole town would have gone up in smoke.

The Klondike Nugget says that the losses will be difficult to estimate, but a list is given out of individual losses, which foot up \$503,000.

There is no insurance at Dawson, and the loss falls entirely on the individuals.

London Views on the Philippines.

LONDON, Nov. 15.—The morning papers comment editorially upon the peace conference crisis and the American naval preparations, reiterating their conviction of the hopelessness of Spanish opposition and recognition that the United States has practically no alternative, especially after the elections, but complete annexation and that if Spain continues obstinate the United States must send a fleet to Europe, an action which no power but Great Britain would welcome, though none would be likely to interfere in Spain's behalf. The Daily Telegraph says: "We cannot believe that President McKinley favors a compromise that would leave Spain a portion of her far eastern possessions. Such a policy would combine the evils of both alternatives confronting America, since Spain would speedily sell the remnant."

Zurinden and Chanoine Examined.

PARIS, Nov. 15.—The court of cassation yesterday examined General Zurinden and General Chanoine, who recently resigned successively the portfolio of minister of war, and it is said that their evidence was highly important in upholding the attitude they have taken throughout that Dreyfus is guilty and that a communication of the dossier would compromise the safety of the state and the good relations of France with foreign nations. General Zurinden, now military governor of Paris, has decided, it is reported, to send Lieutenant Colonel Picquet before a court martial on the charge of having communicated to his counsel, M. Lebouis, a chapter of the Dreyfus dossier containing the letter about "that canaille, D—," since known to be a forgery through the confession of the late Lieutenant Colonel Henry.

Germany Expelling Aliens.

LONDON, Nov. 15.—The Berlin correspondent of The Times says: "Beside the large expulsions of Danes from northern Schleswig during the last fortnight, many Austrian Slavs and Polish Jews have been expelled from Rucslau, as well as Dutchmen from Gronau, Westphalia. The cause is not known, but it is believed the expulsions were instigated by Dr. von Miquel, Prussian minister of finance, with a view of provoking discontent that would serve as a pretext for more severe measures against aliens."

The San Jose Scale.

BERLIN, Nov. 15.—The Berliner Correspondenz asserts that the San Jose scale house was found at Hamburg in September and October in dried and undried California pears and nectarines. The consignments were seized and re-exported under official control.

CAROLINA RACE WAR

Three More Negroes Shot by Whites.

LIVES OF THE TOLBERTS IN DANGER

Enemies on Their Trail—J. R. Tolbert and His Father Acquitted of the Charge of Inciting to Riot—Governor Powerless.

COLUMBIA, S. C., Nov. 15.—Shotguns and revolvers have been cracking all over Greenwood and Abbeville counties, and the list of shootings has grown by three. It is no longer a political feud. It is a race war, and they are killing colored women now and trying to kill colored children. This is yesterday's list of casualties:

Eliza Goode, 40 years old, colored; shot in her house by three white men, who fired through the walls; was reported dying last night.

Kennedy McCaslin, white, 19 years old; shot by Charles Hall, colored; McCaslin's condition serious.

Negro, name not given; shot by John Fell, near Verdery, Abbeville county, dead.

All of these affrays are traceable to the murders of last week, and are due to the excited and bitter feeling between the whites and blacks. The shooting of Eliza Goode is as atrocious a piece of villainy as has occurred since the murdering and burning of the family of the colored postmaster at Lake City. Eliza Goode lived alongside the Piney Grove colored church. It was from this church that some colored men on Wednesday fled from ambush at a party of whites and wounded two of them.

The wounded whites rode past the church yesterday morning and began firing into the houses indiscriminately. The only persons in the house were Mrs. Goode, her sick daughter and a child. The woman was shot through the abdomen. There is just indignation among the whites at this outrage.

The other shootings occurred in Abbeville county—of which Greenwood county recently formed a part—and were due to disputes between whites and blacks. John Hall, colored, farms for Kennedy McCaslin, white. McCaslin went to the house yesterday to get his share of the cotton. They could not agree. The negro ordered McCaslin away and fired on him. The load took effect in the side of the white man's head, and he may die.

The negro was pursued to the county courthouse and captured in the square. In the scuffle his eye was knocked out. There would have been a lynching but for the intervention of the sheriff, the mayor and some citizens. He was locked up and the sheriff wired the governor for protection.

The third affray of the day was due to an altercation in which John Fell accused the negro of theft and then shot him.

This whole section is now ablaze with excitement as fierce as last week. The news of Sunday that President McKinley would support James Tolbert in the McCormick postoffice with federal troops if necessary caused great excitement. The news yesterday that the president may avoid the issue by abolishing the office as he did at Lake City may allay the flame.

A mass meeting of citizens has been called at the courthouse to consider the situation, which seems at present to be just this:

If any of the Tolberts come back, they will be killed. If any negroes who are suspected of being engaged in the election affray are found, they will be lynched. If the feeling does not calm down, anything may happen.

Governor Ellerbe last night practically admitted that the state was powerless in the hands of any mob that chose to operate in these words:

"Our national guard is all crippled through our militiamen enlisting in the United States volunteers. The only thing I could furnish would be one company at Greenville, and it is so depleted as to be almost useless. I wired the sheriff asking him if he wanted the militia, and he asked instead for 200 rifles and 500 rounds of ammunition. I did not send them, for I was afraid they might be used to kill negroes with."

The governor said he believed the trouble over. When asked whether the case was fear of negro domination, he replied:

"No. There is no fear of that in our state. We have disfranchised the negroes legally for our own protection. They must be able to read and write or understand the constitution and own \$300 worth of property, so there is no danger of their getting the ascendancy here. The trouble at Phoenix grew out of the anger of the whites with the Tolbert family for being so intimate with the negroes."

"That the South Carolina white man will not stand. The whites were much more eager to kill the Tolberts than their black dupes."

"I have no hesitation in saying that the white men of Greenwood county went too far. I deplore it. There was no necessity of having a row because the Tolberts were fixing affidavits in the room below, but Mr. Etheridge objected. Mr. Etheridge, a white Democrat, was the first one killed, but he was killed by a black follower of the Tolberts. Then the mob went crazy and has done many things and is still doing things that I would be glad to stop."

"The things Tolbert has been doing there for years, arraying the black voters against their best friends, the white men, for his own advantage, made the event of last week a logical sequence. It was I who saved John R. Tolbert's life when he escaped from the mob and got to Columbia. I feared the soldiers who had just been mustered out would lynch him, and I sent him to the penitentiary."

"There is no help for what has happened. It will go on as long as designing white men make the colored men their dupes. Our people will not stand any arrogance from the blacks."

E. L. Tolbert, a nephew of John M. Tolbert, is the only member of the family permitted to remain in the country. He saved his life by deserting the rest of the family and has issued a card in which he says it was a mistake that he was in favor of negro supremacy. He asks to be forgiven.

John R. Tolbert and his son had a hearing yesterday on the charge of inciting to riot, and the charge was dismissed. The elder Tolbert at once started for Charleston, where he is collector of the port.

TO ABANDON THE TEMPLE.

W. C. T. U. Decides to Get Rid of the White Elephant.

ST. PAUL, Nov. 15.—The W. C. T. U. national convention yesterday decided by a vote of 285 to 71 to abandon the temple project as an affiliated interest. Five hours of animated, vigorous and occasionally bitter and personal debating was necessary before the vote was reached. The opposition to this action declared it was an act of repudiation of a moral obligation and fought every inch of ground, but most of the leaders were against them, and they carried their point.

At the beginning of yesterday afternoon's session the president announced the temple was the order of business. Mrs. Matilda B. Carse of Illinois read her report on the temple, which was a full history of the building and the connection of the W. C. T. U. with the enterprise and making a strong plea for the convention to stand by the temple. She criticised sharply the action of the general officers against the temple. She read a new letter from Marshall Field, dated Nov. 2, in which he promised to extend such obligations as he may be interested in, and in addition he will give \$50,000 cash to pay obligations of interest soon to become due and \$50,000 in stock, or a total of \$100,000. Notwithstanding the rule adopted against applause, there was a hearty and general burst of handclapping at this announcement.

The burden of the report was a plea for the completion of the temple as a fitting memorial to Miss Frances Willard.

The annual report of the financial secretary, Miss Sarah G. Johnson, was presented, showing: Balance on hand one year ago, \$28,761.05; receipts during the year, \$42,928.63; total receipts, \$71,689.68; expenditures, \$11,056.91; balance on hand, \$60,632.77.

The recording secretary, Mrs. Hoffman, read the report of the action of the executive committee adverse to the temple, and Mrs. Chambers of Pennsylvania moved its adoption.

As a substitute, Mrs. Dunham of Iowa moved that in view of the 1891 constitution indorsement of the enterprise this convention pledge itself to the temple in the matter of retiring the trust bonds.

It was decided, however, to consider the report instead of the substitute, and the discussion was taken up energetically. Much time was devoted to an attempt to find out what had been done by the convention, many insisting that they did not understand. Finally out of the confusion the president disentangled a motion to have a yea and nay vote, which prevailed—197 to 118.

The recording secretary, Mrs. Hoffman, made an eloquent argument in support of the executive committee. After she finished, the debaters were limited to three minutes each, and a rattling debate followed, in which the memory of Miss Willard was invoked by both sides. The debate was protracted.

At 6:50 the secretary began the roll call on the motion to adopt the action of the executive committee in abandoning the temple.

It was a long roll call, lasting 42 minutes, nearly ten minutes being required for changes and counting. The vote resulted 285 to 71, the temple being dropped as an affiliated body.

CONDENSED DISPATCHES.

Chakir Pasha and the last Turkish soldiers have left Khania, Crete.

Miners in the vicinity of Silverton, B. C., have shipped Chinese laborers from the district.

The Spanish transport Legazpi was wrecked near Cienfuegos, Cuba, but no lives were lost.

Eleven carloads of alcohol billed for Japan were sent west to be used in the manufacture of smokeless powder.

Dr. Chauncey M. Depew is the acknowledged favorite of all factions to succeed United States Senator Murphy.

The Tioga National bank, of which Senator Thomas C. Platt is president, will reopen for business on Thursday, with a capital of \$50,000.

The books of the Gloucester (Mass.) Mutual Fishing Insurance company showed that 92 lives and 19 craft were lost last year from that port alone.

Lieutenant Herman G. Dressel of the United States navy committed suicide in Baltimore because he had been ordered to Manila to join the United States ship Zafiro.

Work on the Buffalo.

NEWPORT, R. I., Nov. 15.—There being no diving outfit on the cruiser Buffalo, the seamen gunners at the torpedo station have been called upon to work on the ship and by means of lines run under the keel to give the men support the condenser strainer and exhaust pipes have been put in order. One of the condensers will have to be retubed, but it is thought this can be done without placing the vessel in a navy yard dock. Whether the work of repair will be finished here or the ship ordered back depends on the finding of the court of inquiry, which has been busy investigating the cause of the injuries to the vessel.

Belgians Capture a Dervish Post.

LONDON, Nov. 15.—The Daily Chronicle this morning says: "We are reliably informed from the Congo Free State that the Belgians have captured Hohn, a Dervish post, 90 miles north of Pretoria on the White Nile."







## HINTS TO YOUNG MEN.

Going to college at 22 is not too late in life by any means. It is an excellent age, in fact, for a four years' course, particularly if a preparatory course has been had previous to the college entrance.

The best business motto I can possibly think of is: "Be thorough," and if a young man will carefully study all that thoroughness means he will see that it embraces every one of all the potent elements of success in business.

The percentage of savings of one's income depends too much upon circumstances to admit of any rule. Twenty per cent. is an excellent percentage to maintain, if possible, but 15 and even 10 are safe. Conditions arise which make any stated percentage impossible; the safest rule is to put by as much of one's income as possible.

Insurance for young men, as I have often stated, is a commendable investment, and no young married man should, if he can possibly do so, fail to take out an insurance policy on his life, no matter how small may be the amount of his policy. If a young man with a wife and child is earning \$1,000 a year, he should with prudence be perfectly able to pay the premium on a policy of \$1,000.

A young man's reading depends too much upon his particular tastes to admit the suggestion of any prescribed course suited to all. If you are after a general course I can give you no better than the following: First, the Bible; second, Shakespeare's works; third, Bancroft's "History of the United States"; fourth, Emerson's works. There is not only a winter's reading in these, but enough for years.

The investment of savings is a responsibility too great for any stranger to wisely advise upon. Careful financiers generally advise for small investors the following order: The savings bank, government bonds, the bonds of large cities, the bonds and stocks of the established railroad companies, and mortgages on city real estate with ample margin. Naturally there is a risk attached to each; perhaps the least to a good savings bank or a government bond. Three and four per cent. interests are considered very good percentages nowadays.—Edward Bok, in Ladies Home Journal.

## LIGHTHOUSES OF THE WORLD.

The whole number of light stations in the world is about 6,000, of which some 250 are shown from lightships.

Of the world's light stations Europe has 3,309, North America 1,329, Asia 476, and the rest of the world about 811.

The United States has within her boundaries an eighth part of all the lights, including beacons, buoys, etc., of the world.

As an evidence of the rapid extension of the lighthouse system in the United States, the yearly appropriations have increased from \$22,591 in 1791 to \$3,503,994 in 1890.

Great Britain, Austria, Mexico and most of the South American states impose a tax, called light dues, on the commerce of the world, enforced by the revenue officers. The United States charges no light dues.

The principal rivers of our country are lighted by portable lanterns, hung on posts of uniform construction and color, so that they also serve as landmarks by day. They are cared for by regularly appointed residents along the river banks; of these river lights there are 1,557, and the number of miles lighted is 4,477.

Lighthouses are distinguished at night by flashlights of different periods of duration, and also by different colors; and by day they are known by different methods of painting, being generally black stripes on a white ground, which are either placed horizontal, vertical or spiral.

## FACTS ABOUT NAVIES.

The oldest iron vessel in the world is the Michigan, built in 1844.

The American navy has practically been built since 1853.

Battleships are covered with armor of nickel-steel from five to seven inches thick.

The boilers of the Iowa have a heating surface of eight acres, and hold 30 tons of water.

A battleship has on board an electric plant capable of lighting a town of 4,000 inhabitants.

Behind the heavy armor of a battleship there is a padding of either corn-pith or cocoa husks.

The guns of a battleship can carry from six to twelve miles, hurling a shot weighing half a ton.

Battleships are for heavy work; cruisers are commerce-destroyers; monitors are useful only for coast defense.

The Indiana could lie outside Sandy Hook and throw 1,200-pound shots into New York at the rate of four a minute.

## DON'T.

Don't pick quarrels before they are ripe.

Don't attempt to gain time by stealing it from sleep.

Don't try to get the last word when talking with a woman.

Don't drop insulting remarks. A bigger man may pick them up.

Don't think your sins won't call again if they find you out.

Don't think because a man is a poet he can't appreciate lobster salad.

Don't try to make a man eat his words. Some men would rather fight than eat.

Don't you believe that it's hard to be poor. It's the easiest thing in the world.

Don't think because a man is a millionaire that he suffers less with the flu than a poor man.—Chicago

## FROM A DOCTOR'S NOTEBOOK.

The number of medical periodicals published in the United States is 275.

Since the passing of the first vaccination act in England, in 1841, the death rate from smallpox has fallen from 575 per million to 20 per million.

A medical paper says that in railway collisions nearly all the passengers who are asleep escape the bad effects of shaking and concussion, nature's own anesthetic preserving them.

It has been calculated that the loss from illness averages 20,000,000 weeks of work in the year, or 2½ per cent. of the work done by the whole population between 15 and 65 years of age.

Two tablespoonfuls of quinine juice were recently administered to a sufferer from an aggravated case of hic-coughs in Chillicothe, O., and cured after many other remedies had failed.

The proportion of mortality from cancer is now four and a half times greater than it was half a century ago. No other disease can show anything like such an immense increase.

Violent laughter, while witnessing a performance at the St. Charles theater, New Orleans, so distressed William Dompure that it turned into convulsions, and he died in a few minutes.

According to a high authority, cold water is a valuable stimulant to many if not all people. Its action on the heart is more stimulating than brandy. His own experience is that sipping half a wine glass of cold water will raise his pulse from 76 to over 100.

The comparative infant mortality between a rich and poor district in the French city of Lille has been ascertained to be as one to seven. Most of the poor infants die of gastro-enteritis, a preventable disease due to injurious diet, especially bad milk.

## BITS OF CHINA.

Over 11,000,000 fans are exported in one year from Canton, China.

The amount of salt produced in China is 200,000 tons, valued at \$1,000,000.

The robbery of graves is the only crime under Chinese law for which the thief may be justly killed on the spot by anyone finding him out.

The Chinese have devoted themselves for nearly 4,000 years to the artificial propagation of fishes, shell fishes, fowls, pearls and sponges.

In China divorces are allowed to all cases of criminality, mutual dislike, jealousy, incompatibility of temperament, or too much loquacity on the part of the wife.

A regularly-organized system of relieving poverty has been in vogue in China for more than 2,000 years. It is said that an organized system of charity prevailed among the Egyptians 2,500 years B. C.

Chinese brides, when putting on their bridal garments on the eventful morning, stand in round, shallow baskets during their lengthy toilets. This is supposed to insure them placid and well-rounded lives in their new homes.

If a Chinaman dies while being tried for murder the very fact of his dying is taken as evidence of his guilt. He has departed, but somebody must suffer; and his eldest son, if he has one, is sent to prison for a year.

When the prime minister of the Chinese emperor has a grudge against one of the nobles he advises his royal master to pay him a prolonged visit. This visit generally means ruin, for the emperor travels with a retinue of 10,000 persons.

## THINGS CONCERNING WOMEN.

There are 4,500 women printers in England.

Among the 780,000 persons employed in Russian factories, about 200,000 are women.

Mrs. Gladstone is a musician of no mean order. Her favorite instrument is the organ, which she still plays occasionally.

Thirty thousand women spend their lives in driving and steering the canal boats in southern and midland England.

Mrs. Franc Slocum has been elected truant officer in Danville, Ill., at a salary of \$40 per month. It is the first time a woman has been selected for that office in Danville.

Countess Tolstoi is an efficient help to her husband in business matters. Tolstoi, it is said, leaves all practical matters relating to his publications to her. She supervises the printing, attends to the correspondence, and reads the proofs.

Women are running men closely in professional competition in the United States. There are 4,000 actresses and 35,000 women vocalists; 11,000 follow art as a profession; 2,800, literature, and 690 journalism. The women also try their hand at dramatic authorship and managing theaters. The number so employed is 600.

## THE LATEST IN JEWELRY.

Crest rings with old style earrings are regaining their former popularity.

Two hearts of diamonds interwoven form a pretty cluster for an engagement ring.

A very pretty cluster ring for men consists of a large diamond surrounded by several smaller stones set in a square.

The old-style leather bracelet to hold a small watch has been superseded by a chain bracelet of oxidized silver with a watch.

The miniature of a loved one on the scarf pin is the latest novelty for men. It is usually surrounded by small pearls and diamonds.

Baroque pearls are in great demand for lace pins. They are set with a combination of gems which form exquisite designs, chiefly in imitation of insects.

The lucky rabbit's foot is still fashionable. Instead of a plain silver mounting, it is now ornamented with a gold or silver rabbit's head with ruby

## WHAT'S IN THE JUG?

How Foolish Farmer Billson Organized an Abstinence Society and Became a Wise Man.

We remember having once met a farmer going home from town. He was in a wagon equipped with a hog-rack making it evident that he had been delivering his hogs. He was in a particularly bilious frame of mind and at our approach flourished a two-gallon jug and asked us to "take one with him."

"What's in the jug?" we asked. "A whole hog, an' a good-sized one, too," he answered.

That the hog was reduced to liquid form was evident. This man is brought to mind by a story told on Farmer Billson who, like many another man who is not a farmer, was addicted to the drink habit. He came to town one summer morning with a wagon-load of corn, sold it, and started for a dry goods store to make a few purchases. There was a saloon on the way.

Farmer Billson stepped inside to take a drink. Two or three drinks followed, and then he lost all recollection.

Late in the day he woke to find himself lying under a tree. He was about half-way home. His patient horses were nibbling the grass by the roadside. He gathered himself up, felt in his pockets, found his money all gone but seven cents, and then went and looked in his wagon to see what he had bought.

There was a jug about three-fourths full of whisky—and nothing else.

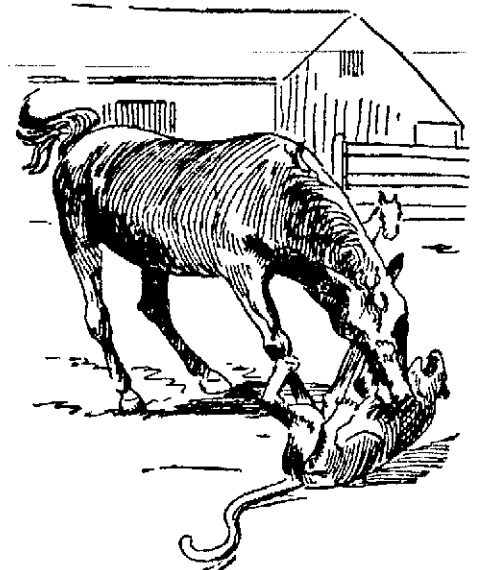
"Twenty-five bushels of corn," he said, "for three quarts of corn juice! Old man," he continued, seizing the jug by the handle, and raising it above his head, "this won't do! Old man"—here he brought the jug down with all his might on the iron tire of one of the hind wheels, to the utter destruction of the jug and the total loss of the corn juice—"we'll organize a total abstinence society right now!"

This happened years ago. Farmer Billson is still a member of that total abstinence society, in good standing. —Farmers' Voice.

## MARE AND PANTHER.

Description of a Desperate Battle Between Animals Recently Witnessed in Maine.

A writer in the Youth's Companion tells of a desperate battle which he witnessed in Maine between a mare and a panther. The mare and her colt were in an enclosure when the hungry panther made its appearance at the fence. Vixen, the mare, watched the lank, tawny creature stealthily approach, evidently with the object of dining off the colt. The little animal had run under its mother's neck and stood there trembling. The marauder leaped for his prey, but quick as a flash the mare turned and met him in the chest with her heels. The panther



VIXEN'S ATTACK.

turned a complete somersault and alighted on the fence, from which he made another spring in a few moments. Again the ready heels of the mare met him, this time still more effectively, and he lay half stunned. Before he could recover Vixen was tearing him to pieces with her teeth, though the bloodthirsty brute was able to tear her neck and shoulders severely. The panther was soon overcome and fell to the ground, where he was furiously trampled by the mare, being finally dispatched by a long knife in the hands of an observer.

**California's Big Bird.**  
The South American condor is no longer the king of birds. The rare California vulture, which is now only to be found in the Cocopah mountains, holds the honor. It stands about four feet high, though it is neither as weighty nor as strong as many birds of smaller size. It has much the same appearance as the turkey buzzard. Years ago the California buzzard was quite plentiful, but poisoned meat intended for animals led to their extinction. It is for this reason that the eggs of this bird are now more valuable than those of the great auk. There are 15 perfect specimens of the latter known, while only two eggs of the California vulture are preserved.

**A Burglar with Sentiment.**  
From Bathurst, Australia, comes the tale of a sentimental burglar. He entered a house at night during the absence of its occupants, with the exception of a little girl who had been put to bed. While the burglar was prowling around the child awoke and began to cry. The tender-hearted burglar thereupon hunted up a slice of bread, buttered it and spread on jam, and gave it to the child. He explained his presence by saying that he was "Uncle John from England." In fact he spent so much time soothing the child, that the family returned before he had a chance to secure any plunder, and he had to jump from the

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### These Women's Jackets.

Notwithstanding the great selling here of three, the stock is kept not only up to date, but almost up to the minute. Many of the garments you will see, this morning, represent a thought that to a form in the designer's brain but last week, and came from the maker's hands but yesterday. Successful retailing, the inevitable outcome of an accurate forecast of the needs, tastes and wishes of the public. An instance here in these new coats and capes.

At \$3 50 Each,  
Bonnet Jackets, lined throughout, worth \$5.

At \$5 00 Each,  
Jackets of kersey cloth, double breasted, refer front, coat collar, and revers worth \$6 50.

At \$7 25 Each,  
Jackets of bonnet, kersey or cheviot, double breasted, refer or cut away front, coat collar and revers, worth with high collars, lined with black satin worth \$10.

At \$10 00 Each,  
Of kersey or bonnet, fly front, coat collar and back, lined with black satin.

At \$12 50 Each,  
Jackets of fine melton and beaver, double breasted, cut away front, fastened with six large pearl buttons, coat collar and revers, lined with black satin or handsome striped silk.

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Nov. 15—Oxford Musical Club, at Casino.  
Nov. 23—Printers' masquerade ball, at Assembly Rooms.  
Dec. 6—Lecture at First Presbyterian Church by Rev. David Winter.  
Dec. 7-9—Fair First Congregational Church.  
Nov. 15—"Zero," at Casino.  
Dec. 26—Macy-Gilley Combination, at the Casino.  
Jan. 24—Y. M. C. A. entertainment, Dr. Burrows May, at the Casino.  
Feb. 14—Y. M. C. A. entertainment, Rev. Russell H. Conwell, at the Casino.

### WEATHER INDICATIONS

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 15.—Fair to-night and Wednesday; fresh westerly winds; probably fair, Thursday.

### THE TEMPERATURE.

The following was the reading of the thermometer at Frank's drug store to-day:  
7 a. m. 36 12 m. 46 3 p. m. 46.

Chairman Dingley, of the House Ways and Means Committee, takes issue with Senator Hanna in regard to Republican policy. He says that there will be no revision of the tariff act that bears his name, since it is practically perfect, and no modification of the war revenue act, since the government needs all the revenue that it yields.

Vermont's thirty legislators are investigating a bill for \$86 rendered by the adjutant-general for expenses incurred in attending the Old Guard ball in New York as a representative of Vermont's military establishment. To us of the Empire State, who are so used to having our public funds squandered that a million dollar canal steal is accepted as a matter of course, this investigation of an \$86 profligacy seems droll indeed.

The Common Council has fixed on Dec. 8th as the date for the special appropriation meeting to vote on the propositions which Mayor Mance advised should be submitted to the taxpayers in order to relieve the city from its pressing financial embarrassments. The items to be voted on are clearly stated in an advertisement in another column. Every one of them was a legacy of debt from last year's Council. Not one of the liabilities to be provided for was created by this year's Council, which has kept well within its appropriations.

Last year's Common Council did not pay over \$1,290 raised to meet an installment due on High School bonds and interest; it did not pay over \$3,335.50 of the Board of Education's requisition, it did not pay over to the Water Commissioners \$1,324.72 of water frontage tax; it overdraw its bank account \$3, 658.63. It is because of the failure of the Council of 1897 to apply the money raised last year to the purposes for which it was raised that it is necessary for this Council to ask the people to put their hands in their pockets.

The War Department's orders in regard to the First New York Volunteers will have to be changed in at least one respect. To bring even well men from Honolulu's tropical climate and expose them without time for acclimatization to the rigors of a New York winter would be to needlessly jeopardize health. To expose a fever-stricken command to such a change would be an invitation to death to reap a harvest. After the regiment is brought back to this country its members will have to be given a chance to recruit their strength in a milder climate than that of this State in mid-winter.

The Louisville Courier-Journal is of the opinion that the Democrats are to be congratulated on their failure to secure control of the House of Representatives at last week's election. It says that "the control of that body for the two years prior to and pending a presidential campaign is usually a handicap," and this holds especially true at this juncture when the Democratic members hold such widely divergent views on important public questions. It is probably better all around that undivided responsibility for all acts of the next Congress should rest with the Republicans.

Cannot turn back the tide. The demand for Dr. Agnew's Little Pills is a marvel. Cheap to buy, but diamonds in quality—banish nausea, coated tongue, water brash, pain after eating, sick headache, nervous gripes, operate pleasantly. 10 cents.  
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CURES ALL KIDNEY TROUBLES.

## FATAL RAILROAD WRECK

Eight Killed and Many Injured in Collision on the Grand Trunk Road.

WRECK GRAVEYARD.

KINGSTON, Ont., Nov. 15.—The Grand Trunk Railroad express from Montreal for Toronto collided with a freight train near Murray Hill, at 3:30 this morning. Eight passengers were killed or fatally injured.

The killed are: Brady, engineer of the express; Macdonald, fireman of the express; John Casey, engineer; George Paulin, cattle dealer; A. Carv; Albert Tracey; Wm. Lunney; two unknown foreigners; woman and child en route from Holland West. Among the injured are: John McNamara, L. Labarre, W. Kenner, A. P. Walker, Fred Cain, James Newman. Twenty passengers, most of them being in Pullman cars, were more or less seriously hurt. Nine or ten of the wounded are in Belleville Hospital under treatment.

The accident occurred at a place called Diamond Crossing, about two miles from Trenton. The express was due at Trenton at 3:35 a. m., and ran into an open switch and dashed into the freight train.

## DREYFUS TO PREPARE HIS DEFENSE

PARIS, Nov. 15.—The Court of Cassation has informed the Minister of Colonies, M. Guilan, that it has been decided that Dreyfus must be informed by telegraph that revision proceedings have commenced, and that he prepare his defense. The questions will now be drafted and posted to Dreyfus, who will formulate his replies. The Minister of the Colonies has received a cable message saying that Dreyfus is in good health.

## NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE REPORT

JAS. P. TIGHE, Commission Broker, Stern Building, 16 North Street, Middletown, N. Y. Stocks, Bonds, Grain and Provisions bought and sold for cash or carried on margin.

Stock	Nov. 15, '96	Nov. 14, '96
August	123 1/2	121 1/2
Chicago Gas	13 1/2	14 1/2
Nat. Lead	25 1/2	26 1/2
General Electric	82 1/2	82 1/2
U. S. L. pref.	68 1/2	67 1/2
Tenn. Coal and Iron	31 1/2	30 1/2
A. T. & S. F.	16 1/2	15 1/2
O. B. & Q.	119 1/2	118 1/2
O. M. & St. P.	113 1/2	112 1/2
R. I. & W.	107 1/2	107 1/2
O. L. & W.	14 1/2	14 1/2
C. of N. J.	91	91
Erie	13 1/2	13 1/2
D. and H.	99 1/2	99 1/2
O. & W.	16 1/2	16 1/2
Susquehanna & Western	16 1/2	16 1/2
Susquehanna & West. pref.	16 1/2	16 1/2
F. & R.	16 1/2	16 1/2
N. W.	16 1/2	16 1/2
L. S.	117 1/2	117
N. Y. C.	36 1/2	37 1/2
M. P.	15 1/2	15 1/2
Texas	30	30 1/2
U. P.	34	34 1/2
W. Union	94	93 1/2
L. & N.	61 1/2	60 1/2
Manhattan	92 1/2	91 1/2
P. M.	37	37 1/2
Wabash, pref.	21 1/2	21 1/2
No. Pacific, pref.	76 1/2	76
Metropolitan Traction	167 1/2	172 1/2
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	68 1/2	67 1/2
Southern, pref.	38 1/2	38 1/2

## CHESTER.

Correspondence of ARGUS and MERCURY.

—The memorial service held Sunday afternoon at St. Paul's Episcopal Church in memory of Mrs. Annie Wilkin, was largely attended. Rev. Geo. C. Betts officiated, assisted by Rector J. Holmes McGuinness and Rev. Joseph Smith.

## DYSPEPSIA

"For six years I was a victim of dyspepsia in its worst form. I could eat nothing but milk toast, and at times my stomach would not retain and digest even that. Last March I began taking CASCARETS, and since then I have steadily improved, until I am as well as I ever was in my life."  
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## "My Life Rescaped."

These are words of Mrs. Wm. Burton, of Dartmouth, Ont., after doctors had prescribed and she had taken every known heart remedy. Dr. Agnew's Cure for the Heart gave relief in almost shorter time than it takes to tell it—it worked a wonderful cure in a case of long standing and to-day she says: "I am a well woman." Dr. Agnew's Cure for the Heart has no case recorded against it where it did not give relief inside of 30 minutes.  
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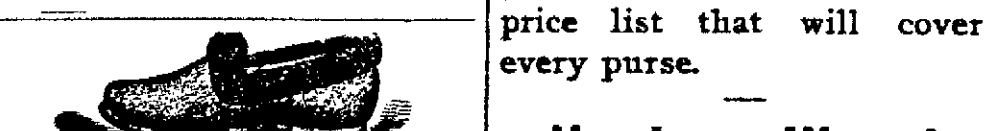
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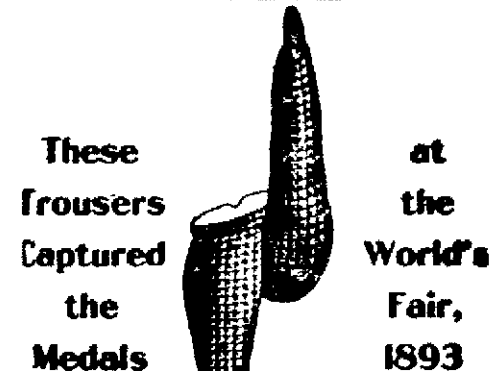
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WEATHER INDICATIONS.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 14.—Fair to-night Tuesday; cooler to-night; brisk winds from west.

THE TEMPERATURE.

The following was the reading of the thermometer at 7 a. m. 42°; 12 m. 48°; 3 p. m. 48°.

AMUSEMENT NOTES.

—Nov. 15—Oxford Musical Club, at Casino.  
—Nov. 15—Printers' masquerade ball, at Assembly Rooms.  
—Dec. 5—Lecture at First Presbyterian Church by Rev. David Winter.  
—Dec. 7—Fair First Congregational Church.  
—Nov. 1—Zero "at Casino."  
—D. C. 26—Macy-Griffey Combination, at the Casino.  
—Jan. 24—Y. M. C. A. entertainment, Dr. Watson May at the Casino.  
—Feb. 14—Y. M. C. A. entertainment, Rev. Russell H. Conwell, at the Casino.

Mark Hanna says the tariff will have to be revised, and virtually admit the failure of the Dingley Tariff as a revenue producer, by saying that many features of the war revenue bill will have to be retained in order to raise the funds necessary for the current expenses of the government.

The Navy Department's orders prohibiting all new work on armordads and directing the mobilization of the fleet at Hampton Roads are accepted as an evidence that the administration is not sure of the success of the peace negotiations and is preparing to make another demonstration against Spain, should her refusal to accept our terms make such action necessary.

Only four jury cases were tried at the election week trial term of the Supreme Court held by Judge Hirschberg in Newburgh. The term will be continued this week, and some further progress will be made toward clearing the calendar, but last week's record of nothing done at heavy cost to unfortunate litigants emphasizes the necessity of so appointing the November trial term for Orange County that it will not fall on election week.

Leiter's corner and the high prices which it gave western farmers for their wheat undoubtedly saved the House of Representatives to the Republicans. The Democrats gained heavily in the east, but in the west the anti-Republican forces lost their grip. The explanation is undoubtedly to be found in the fact that with living prices for his products the western farmer has no quarrel with the Republican administration.

Depew, Choate, Root and other able and eloquent men, who are now spoken of as the possible choice of the Republican majority in the legislature for United States Senator, will not be heard of when the Senatorial elections is held. The man to wear the Senatorial toga must be measured by the standard of Mr. Platt, for the easy boss will have no one as his colleague who is big enough to cast him in the shade.

Col. Roosevelt had a conference with Senator Platt and Chairman O'Neil, Saturday, but not until after he had conferred with Seth Low and other anti-machine Republicans. The political significance of this seems to be that while he proposes to keep his pledge to consult Platt as the recognized leader of his party he also proposes to consult anti-Platt leaders, and the consultations over he will undoubtedly do just as he see fit.

It is announced that Governor-elect Roosevelt is willing to make B. B. Odell, J. Superintendent of Public Works in place of George W. Aldridge. The office is a good one and carries with it lots of patronage, but it is not likely to have any attractions for Mr. Odell, who is ambitious to sit in the United States Senate. If Mr. Odell cannot land the bigger prize, he may consent to accept the lesser one, for he isn't in politics for his health.

The recall of the First New York Vol. Infantry from Honolulu do not necessarily mean that the regime it will be ousted out, but that most desirable end can and should be secured in a intelligent and persistent effort is made by the relatives and friends of members of the command. Before the sick soldiers reach New York again in the time to bring a possible presence on the War Department in Middletown, Newburgh, Poughkeepsie, Kingston, Albany, Oneida and the other cities represented in the regiment, all strike while the iron is hot, our soldiers may come marching home for good.

## SWIFT BY FLAMES.

A Third of the Business Portion of a Pennsylvania Town in Ashes.

CANONSBURG, Pa., Nov. 14.—This town was visited, this morning, by a furious fire which wiped out fully one-third of the business portion, the two principal hotels and many dwellings, and did damage estimated at \$150,000. No lives were lost as far as is ascertained. The flames were first discovered in the dwelling house of Reed Williams, and before they could be stopped burned these places: Gowau's carriage works, Cochlin & McKen's furniture warehouse, three dwellings occupied by Mr. McKen, W. F. Fulton and H. Ingram, Weller & Son's livery stable, Michael Egan's dwelling, W. F. Fulton's livery stable, Weller & Son's store building, Manufacturers' Gas Company, E. T. Becker's restaurant, Commercial Hotel, McNary & Kennedy's feed and livery stable, the Canonsburg Hotel, the two city council buildings and McDowell & Dickinson's lumber yard. The approximate insurance is \$50,000. All the buildings but one were frame. The volunteer fire department with bucket brigades could make no headway and the telephone operator had barely time to raise by wire Washington and Pittsburgh, calling for aid, before being driven from the building by the flames. During the progress of the fire thieves reaped a rich harvest in the west end of the town.

SENATOR PLATT'S BANK. Owego, Nov. 10.—The Tioga National Bank, of which Senator Thomas C. Platt is president, will reopen, Thursday, with \$50,000 capital, and a surplus of \$18,000 to \$18,000. Its original capital was \$100,000.

PREFERRED DEATH TO MANILA. BALTIMORE, Md., Nov. 14.—Lieut. Herman G. Dressel, U. S. Navy, committed suicide this morning, by shooting himself in the head. From papers found on the body it is surmised that he killed himself, because he had been ordered to Manila to join the United States ship Zafiro.

SHOEMAKERS' STRIKE BEGUN. MARLBORO, Mass., Nov. 14.—The joint executive council of the Boot and Shoe Workers' Union, at noon ordered out the 2,600 employees in seven factories. S. H. Howe Co., Rice & Hutchins and I. A. Frye & Co., are the firms affected.

JUDGE VAN WYCK'S ELECTION EXPENSES. ALBANY, N. Y., Nov. 14.—Augustus Van Wyck, the Democratic candidate for Governor in the recent election, certified to the Secretary of State, to-day, that his election expenses were \$440.50.

Another Car on the City Line. Beginning with to-morrow, the Traction Company will give fifteen minutes service, daily, between the city limits at the North End and Genung street.

EXPENSES OF CANDIDATES. Statements of Expenditures Filed by Candidates With the City Clerk.

The following statements of election expenses have been filed with the City Clerk:  
John T. Ogden (Rep. Alderman)—I did not pay one cent to further my election.  
F. M. Barnes (Dem. Alderman)—Paid City Committee \$10.  
Chas. W. Faulkner (Rep. Constable)—City Committee \$15.  
Nelson W. Wood (Rep. Supervisor)—Assessment City Committee \$30.  
J. O. Austin (Dem. Supervisor)—City Committee \$5, stamps sixty cents.  
Geo. W. Galloway (Dem. Supervisor)—Paid City Committee \$10.  
Chas. E. Gardner (Rep. Alderman)—Carriage \$2.50; City Committee \$10.  
C. J. Boyd (Rep. Supervisor)—City Committee \$30, carriage \$7.50.  
George H. Clark (Dem. Constable)—Nothing.  
S. S. Purvis (Rep. Assessor)—City Committee \$30.

COUNTY CANDIDATES.

The following statements have been filed by county candidates with the county clerk:  
J. B. Swezy (Rep. Special Scrutator)—Republican County Committee \$100.  
J. Floyd Halstead (Dem. Special Scrutator)—nothing.  
J. G. Graham, (Republican, Assembly, 1st Dist.)—Republican County Committee \$100, stamps, \$24; cigars, \$ stationery, \$4.17. Total, \$430.17.  
Ed. Stocker, (Democratic County Treasurer)—Democrats, City Committee, Newburgh, \$50; printing and postage, \$65. Total, \$115.

SIX SHOTS IN THE HEAD

A Clergyman's Desperate Attempt at Suicide.

Rev. George Allan, pastor of the Presbyterian Church at Milton, Ulster county, who put six bullets into his head, at the home of his cousin in Cold Spring, Saturday, is still alive and may recover. Three of the bullets have been extracted, but the others are still in his head. Mr. Allan had recently become engaged to be married and there are those who see a connection between this fact and his attempt on his life.

Fate of Court

Mrs. Everett, who lives on West Main street near Monhagen avenue, complains that small boys are annoying her, and one was summoned to court, this morning. After a hearing an adjournment was taken until to-morrow at 2 o'clock.

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